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Who Will Serve.

With the reconstruction of the financial affairs of Arlington suggested by the discovery of a heavy defalcation, Mr. Wiltreasurer. This was five years ago. Durthe real head of his department and has so handled the finances and superin- farmer. tended investments that now it is a pleasure to read the annual report. To be sure a big debt confronts us, but under Mr. Muller's accepted plans the sinking fund is providing for wiping out this indebtedness and a fair degree of economy in annual appropriations will ere long bring the town where a comparatively low tax rate will be added to attractions of beautiful territory and scenery, fine residences, modern school buildings and social standing of the people that have proved such drawing cards, in spite of minor drawbacks. Mr. Muller declines further service, believing he is now entitled to relief which will allow him opportunity to give personal attention to his private business which its growing of which an admission fee is charged or from which a revenue is to be derived, must be paid for by dimensions demand. A successor is to be chosen. We suggest the name of Myron Taylor at the request of people interested in the town's best good. He is a man familiar with the handling of large financial affairs, has had experience in investments and the mere men- in Philadelphia. tion of his name brings into view a man

Messas. Fred S. Mead and J. Howell Crosby, whose services as Selectmen are highly appreciated, will be candidates for Feb. 22d. another term in this first office in the gift of citizens, but Mr. S. Fred Hicks proposes to retire with the honors a comparatively long term in office have tended announcement later. brought to him. A large business demands his care; but in retiring he has left an example for other capable business men to follow and accept draft for Step in and inspect them. public service. Such a man has been found. To permit the use of his name to fill the vacancy caused by the withdrawal of Mr. Hicks, a number of citizens have sought and obtained the consent of Walter B. Douglass, of Brantwood Road, in Kensington Park. Mr. Douglass has lived in Arlington about ten years and terest in and work for it, will in its rehas become acquainted with the town's suits more than equal the annual fair. business and its financial condition and needs by three years service on the Committee of Twenty-Ones He was also a valuable member of the committee which recently considered the matter of the new tractions. lighting contract for the town. Men, who have served with him on these com- Licht Verein in Cotting Hall, Tuesday, mittees speak highly of his broadness, capability and strong business sense. He is well known in the Boston business world, being vice-president and general invited. manager of the New England Structural and works at Everett. We count it a

fortunate thing for the town that men day write him or call, or tellike Mr. Douglass are willing to hold town office and do their share toward administering local affairs on clean lines ect liam A. Muller came into the office of and sound business principles. Among others named as possible successors, are ing these five years Mr. Muller has been Frank P. Dyer, of Arlington News Agency, John Lyons, a successful garden

> Auditor E. L. Churchill contemplates another vacancy to be filled. On this office numerous and not light burdens were thrown when the finances were reconstructed. The office now demands familiarity with book-keeping, of course, but it ought also to have a man of moral courage to continue it in the line of absolute compliance with the by-laws.

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ABOUT TOWN MATTERS IN ARLINGTON.

=Peanut brittle 15c. pound at Hardy's. =Old-fashioned chocolate creams 18c. pound, at Hardy's.

=Mrs. J. F. Scully has been visiting rifends of wealth and social prominence

=Mr. Roger F. Etz will have charge of gentlemanly, trustworthy, with executive the Young People's service at the Universalist church, next Sunday evening. =Corps 43, W. R. C., has invited Post 36 and Camp 45, Sons of Veterans, to sup-

> = Town Hall is engaged for Feb. 18, by the Sowers Lend-a-Hand, when they give a Dutch supper and concert. More ex-

per and a social evening, on Saturday,

Wetherbee Bros. are offering an unusually large assortment of valentines. One of their show windows is filled with them and make a handsome display.

=Mrs. Mabel Loomis Todd, the distinguished traveller, will give a lecture in High School hall, Thursday evening, Feb. 6th, at eight o'clock. Her subject will be "Panama and the Canal.

=The Universalist Society will not hold a fair this year. A unique plan is now in operation, which, judging from the in-

=Miss Florence Hicks, of Pleasant street, is spending a month with her aunt, Mrs. Winthrop Smith, at her home at Glenside, a suburb of Philadelphia, noted for its beauty of location and natural at-

=There will be a meeting of the Mehr February 4, at 7.45. Supt. Scully will APRONS AND HANDKERCHIEFS ment of Nuremburg." All former members of the club and their friends are

=Photographs of Salisbury and Stone-Company whose offices are on State street henge, England, are now on exhibition at Robbins Library. Several are devoted

to calisbury Cathedral, one of the most beautiful in England. They will remain

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Music at the Baptist church on Sudday will include anthems: Te Deum in B. flat minor, Foole; and "Father, in Thymysterious presence kneeling," Scott. Mrs. Edith Braddury Franklin will sudstitute as alto. Yoluntary at 10.30 a. m.

= The boys of Castle Avalon, K. O. K. A., and the Chapter Club, are planning for an exhibition of curios and antiques in the Parish House, on Wednesday and Thursday, February 12th and 13th. Prizes will be given for the—1st, best exhibit; 2, greatest suriosity; 3, second best all round exhibit; 4, best specimen of boys own work.

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HAVE A LOT

of Christ in the Temple, commonly called as the strength in the offensive game the Purification of Saint Mary the Virgin. played by the team. The article had a Services at St. John's church, Academy very good picture of Hicks. Services at St. John's church, Academy street: Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and sermon, 10.30. Choral Even-

place in the Boat Club hall, next Tuesday evening, the 4th. Custer's orchestra is to furnish the music.

=Rev. Frederic Gill has been at Laconia, Concord and Andover, N. H., this week, where he has been holding platform meetings with the local ministers. on Sunday morning.

= At the last meeting of Corps 43, Mrs. Carolyn Morse was presented with a gold mounted fountain pen and Mrs. Grace napkins, in recognition of their services as secretary and treasurer of the Corps during the past year.

= Arlington Woman's Club meets next Thursday, Feb. 6th, in Associates Hall.
The meeting is under the direction of the Art Department, when Dr. Edward Von Mach will give a lecture on "The painting of the Italian Renaissance," illustrated with the stargentians. ed with the stereopticon.

=The evening service at St. John's church, on Sunday will be fully choral. The anthem will be "The radiant morn has passed away," Woodward; and the well known and exceptionally talented offertorium, "Sancta Maria," sung by Mr. recitationist and reader, is to give a recit-Walter B. Douglass, with violin obligato by Mr. Frederick W. Derby.

= The Bradshaw Missionary Associa-tion meets Monday afternoon, February 3, at 3 o'clock, in the ladies' parlor of the Orthodox church. The work of the Sun-day school and Publishing Society in Nebraska will be represented by Miss Lilian Benker, of that state.

=On Tuesday, the 28th, Miss Sarah Symmes observed her eight-fifth birthday, at her home, 44 Mystic street. Miss Symmes is one of the oldest members of Without cost and without the Congregational church. During the trouble you may ascertain summer she enjoys riding in the electric cars and also a good spin in an auto.

=All interested are invited to the graduation exercises of the primary department of the Sunday School of the First Baptist church, which will be held in the chapel, on Sunday, at twelve o'clock, under the direction of Mrs. C. F. Atwood, brought up to date. Basket ball games who has this department in charge. An will be revived again. The hall is fitted uteresting series of exercises have been

+St. John's Sunday school held its annual Epiphany missionary service last Sunday. There were present 107 and made an offering of seven dollars towards a bed in the boys! school at Foochow, China. The missionary contributions of the school last year were \$43, in addition to the work of the Junior Missionary Auxiliary.

=The Globe of January 27 had considerable space devoted to the Harvard College hockey team, said to be the best in the history of the college. The article was of interest to Arlington friends, for it

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To Parents and Others Having the Care or Cus-

tody of Children

ment of this Company in its efforts to make the service on its

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=Sunday, Feb. 2nd. The Presentation designated Trafford Hicks, of this town,

=The Christian Endeavor will meet in the Pleasant street Congl. church, Sunday evening, at seven o'clock. Mr. George =One of those monthly dances will take Dixon will be the leader and the subject, "Confident Testimony for Christ."

=Fred S. Meade, Jr., returned to his studies at Columbia University, on Sunday, after an illness of ten days at his two things are to be said. First: Unitaparents' home on Mass. avenue. Mrs. Meade was also sick at the same time with a trained nurse, so that the proposed Mr. Gill will return in season to occupy trip to the Azores, of her husband, Selecthis own pulpit at the First Parish church man Mead; had to be postponed. Mr. Meade, with his son, Edward, leave Boston this Saturday, on the Republic, for a sixteen days' absence.

=The boys of East Arlington, meeting Whittier with a dinner table cloth and under the auspices of the Improvement napkins, in recognition of their services Asson, have organized into a society to be known as 'Knights of East Arling- simple faith in God as our Father! It ton." The following were elected offi-

=Wednesday evening, Feb. 5th, the fourth in the series of entertainments by the Clover Lend-a-Hand will be given in Town Hall. Mrs. Waldo Richards, the al. She will give a varied program which will include selections from Longfellow's "Hiawatha." Mrs. Richards is exceeding popular in society and artistic circles and her talents are quite exceptional.

tural College at Amherst. Mr. Rawson is naturally pleased with the distinction and honor this appointment implies. No one is better qualified than he is to pass judgement on matters agricultural and his business attainments ought to be of practical advantage to the Board.

=Wetherbee Brothers have leased the large hall in Swan Block, formerly occupied by the Public Library, and recently by W. A. Robertson, and will refit it for public purposes. It will be fitted with steam heat, electric lights, a new hard wood maple floor, and everything will be with a fine stage and dressing rooms leading from either side, which makes it finely adapted for concerts, dances, etc.

=The "smoker" at the Boat Club. Tuesday evening, attracted a large turnout of the members and their friends, who spent a profitable and enjoyable evening in listening to Rev. S. C. Bushnell's graphic description of the story of the

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GREAT AFFIRMATIONS.

It is frequently said that Unitarianism

IX: THE DIVINE SUFFICIENCY. H COR, HI, 5.

is a religion without a Savior. . In reply, rians do not make much use of the term "Savior" because it has associations and meanings foreign to their faith. We prefer to speak of Jesus as a leader. Second: so far as the word is used by us, God is our Savior. Does any one consider Him insufficient? We find Him so great that we need no more. How slow Christians have been to accept and use Jesus' seems to be assumed that God alone is not enough! "That man is in a pitiable state who does not rest upon the certain word of God," says an English prelate, speaking of the Bible. But what about the man who simply rests upon God Himself? Is he to be pitied or envied? What more can we need or have? For our part we use Paul's great words, "Our sufficiency is from God," in the most thorough-going and unqualified fashion. In the wisdom and the goodness of God we find a full sufficiency for all human needs, an abundant satisfaction for the hunger of the heart. Church, Bible, Jesus, are of great value, because they help =Hon. Warren W. Rawson has recently been appointed by Gov. Guild on the Board of Trustees of the State Agriculs substitutes for it. Let a man go directly to God, give his heart to him, live in His presence and by His grace, and he will not need any additional Savior nor any other

Correspondence and questions are in-

guarantee for his peace and joy ..

Monitor and the Merrimac. A letter, written by one Lieut. Greene, who was an eye witness of the memorable battle in which the Monitor came off victorious, was read by Mr. Bushnell. The speaker was pleasantly introduced by Mr. Harry P. Hinckiey, the president of the club.

=Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bradley and their daughters, the Misses Rosamond, Leslie and Frances, of 411 Commonwealth avenue, Boston, sailed from New York, on Wednesday, on the "Adriatic," of the White Star line, for an inflefinite tour of Europe. Mrs, Bradley is a grand-daughter of the late Addison Gage of this town and has family connections who reside here. The death of the only son of the family, fast fall, has been a deep grief and they are going abroad for a change of scene and the distraction which travel affords.

=Mr. H. A. Phinney left on the ten o'clock morning train, for New York, on Tuesday, to sail at two o'clock on Wednesday on the White Star steamer 'Adriatic," for Liverpool. Mr. Phinney will he abroad two months attending to business interests. His first objective point will be London and from there he will go to Leipsic in Germany, then to other cities on the continent. On Sunday, Mrs. Phinney entertained a dinner party of eight covers, the guests being intimate friends of Mr. Phinney, who made it a happy "going away party." During Mr. Phinney's absence his wife will have as her guest Miss Helen Cooke, her niece.

= Last Saturday night the business interests of the centre were sharply aroused, probably most people of the town also, when the fire alarm rung out from Box 36 (located in front of Town Hall), and a crowd quickly gathered. But before them all came the ever ready firemen, and in less than half an hour the "all-out" signal came as a relief to the few who had not braved the cold, or had not been assured of no real danger over the phone. The fire was in the rooms on the southwest corner of Post Office Block and was caused by an over heated gas appliance for heating irons. . A small board petition and a smashed plate glass window, with some damage from smoke, covers the loss. The window was a full size single plate, and the cost of replacing this was the heaviest item in the bill.

=Last Sunday morning, at the Orthodox Congregational Sunday school, occurred the graduation of ten pupils from the intermediate into the main room of the school, and eight from the primary into the intermediate department. The exercises were held in the main room and consisted of songs by the primary department and exercises by the graduates, demonstrating the memory work that had been accomplished by them. The diplomas were presented by Supt. Fred B. Thompson to the following graduates:-

PRIMARY,—G. Mildred Whittier, Charlotte Holbrook, Alfred E. Bower, Eliot R. Perkins, Russell B. Hadley, Rodney C. Hardy, Charles H. Doughty, Jr., Frederick B. Percy, INTERMEDIATE,—Katherine Read, Kathe-rine Viete Catherine rine Viets, Catherine C. Balser, Maude Gray, Helen Hill, Alice Read, Lysander Nowell, Fred Campbell, Philip Bower and Russell Doughty.

.=There was a large congregation at the First Parish (Unitarian) church, on Sunday, young people being especially prominent as became a Young Peoples' service. The regular choir of the church, whose singing under the competent direction of Mr. Charles S. Norris, is always a fitting and helpful part of the service, made the music even better than their usual high standard. The Rev. Frederic Gill preached from 1st John, II, 14: "I have written unto you, young men because ye are strong, and the word of God abideth in you." "Youth," he said, "is

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Wolf or Sheep?

By J. LUDLUM LEE.

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******* There was a run on the Ilion National bank, and depositors were standing in line hour after hour waiting their turn to withdraw their money. Paying tellers worked with deliberation that was maddening. Some days only half a dozen people would be paid off, but still the line increased, hoping against hope. For two days and nights the figure of a young girl had been noticed. She was slowly working her way to the front. At 2:45 p. m. on the third day she was admitted to the bank and withdrew her entire account.

To avoid confusion depositors were admitted at one door and passed out through a side entrance, and as she emerged from the latter she cast a hurried glance about her. She gave a sigh of relief when she saw that she was quite alone and apparently unnoticed. Then suddenly a tall man appeared in the doorway behind her.

Lillian Burkhart trembled as she clutched the roll of bills, her teeth chattered, the color faded from her cheeks, and she was conscious that her hands trembled visibly. The man looked at her sharply, stepped forward and asked if he could be of service to her.

"You seem to be in trouble. Can I do anything for you?" he asked, with some concern "You can go away," she managed to

The man calmly proceeded to button his heavy ulster, slipped his hand in the pocket thereof and pulled out a heavy pair of gloves, which he drew on slowly. His tall, broad shoulders were surmounted by a handsome clear cut face; his whole appearance was faultless. He glanced concernedly at Lillian, whose color had not yet returned and who seemed to tremble from head to foot.

"Really, I feel that I must call for assistance. Will you have a cab or a doctor? It would be nothing short of brutal to leave you here shivering like that. Are you ill or simply cold? I insist upon knowing." Lillian was forced to look at him

again, and it seemed to give her courage to speak. "Were you ever hungry?" she mur-

mured as she took a firmer hold on "Yes, indeed," said her companion.

"But never with that amount of money in my grasp." Lillian started with a sudden jerk at

the mention of her money and dropped the entire roll of bills. He stooped to pick it up, and after one wild shrick she called distractedly:

"Stop thief! Stop, I say!" The crowd was massed in front of the bank, and the cry seemed to have passed unnoticed. The man picked up the bills despite her exclamation and banded them to her. Lillian laughed

"Perhaps you're not a thief after all -are you?"

a sickly little gurgle, saying:

"No, I'm not! Are you?" suggested the man. "I am merely one of the many depositors trying to get a few dollars. But you were more fortunate than I. When I reached the window the cashier pulled it down, saying it was 3 o'clock and too late to draw. Better put that wad out of sight and not tempt the hysterical mob outside." be added.

"That's what I wanted to do, but you won't go away and let me. A woman doesn't have pockets all over her clothes like a man. And, oh, I wish you would go, for I'm so hungry and want to get home! I've stood in that line for nearly three days to get money for the landlord. My, but I hate that man!" she expostulated, with a shrug of her pretty shoulders.

"Well, I'll be on my way, and be sure you tuck it safely away in its hiding place. I'll promise not to look back." He laughed and turned on down the street.

Lillian hurriedly slipped the bills in the bosom of her gown and nervously started in the opposite direction toward her little home. Her mother met her at the door, and after some hot luncheon the girl was equal to relating her troubles. "But, mother, we have the money,

and that old Shylock can be paid. I'll take it around to him myself in the morning and just tell him what I think of him," said Lillian, with some satisfaction and a threatening intonation of her voice. The next morning about 10 o'clock

she started for the landlord's office. and as she passed the long line waiting at the bank she thought how fortunate she had been. "Extras" were out saying that no more depositors would be paid.

Arriving at the offices of Payne & Payne on Main street, she entered the snug little reception room and asked for Mr. Payne.

"Which one, ma'am?" asked the of

sce boy at the door. "Why, the one who owns our house,

the cross one," she added by way of further explanation.

The boy seemed to know which man she wanted and disappeared in the inner office. He returned in a few minutes, saying that she might go right in ushered her to the door and closed it after her.

Once inside, Lillian, blushing to the roots of her red brown hair, found herself confronted by the man who had offered his assistance the day before.

"I am looking for Mr. Payne," she managed to numble.

proffered her a chair beside his desk "also among my employees I have the reputation of being the 'cross' member of the firm. You see, father is very old and apt to be easy going as to the observance of rules. What can il do for you. Miss Burkhart?"

"I came to pay my rent. Your agent said if it wasn't paid today he would dispossess us. You see, we had money in the bank, but it was tied up, and he wouldn't wait. He said, 'Them's my orders. Here is the money. Will you give me a receipt, please?"

"I never authorized any agent to say that. Miss Burkhart, and I tell you what I wish you would do. Just put that money back in that mysterious pocket of yours and pay the rent when it is perfectly convenient. I promise that you shall not be bothered by an insolent collector any more. I will call for the rent myself-if I may." he added, with some hesitation. "That collector of mine needs a lesson."

"It would be so nice if I could keep this money to pay the poor tradespeople, if you do not mind. You see, only part of our money is in that bank and the trust company has closed its doors too. Mother's pension never comes before the 15th," said Lillian by way of explanation

"Won't you let me drive you come in my sleigh?" Payne asked as she rose to leave. "The streets are rather riotous these days with the howling mob crying for their money." And without waiting for her answer he put on his fur coat that hung on the door. "You have quite persuaded yourself, I hope, that I am not a thief?" he added. "Oh, Mr. Payne, how can I ever

apologize sufficiently for my rudeness and at the same time thank you for your kindness? You know, I was frightfully hungry, and standing in line so long had affected my brain, I fear. I seemed to feel that every one who looked at me wanted to steal that The Most Noted of the Later Day Out money. And, oh, I'm so delighted to have that sleigh ride!"

He tucked her in the sleigh, and off they started down the busy streets. then on to the outskirts of the village. the longest way home. The ringing year, 1836 the bushrangers became so sleigh bells, the clear, cold air and the glorious sunlight filled them both with gagements with posses and soldiers life, and they chatted incessantly for an hour, when they drove up to the little cottage. Mrs. Burkhart waved them a welcome from the window and met Lillian at the door, beaming with pleasure. It took some time to tell the and hairbreadth escapes the Kellys mother how it happened, and the actually held up the entire village of mother was happy because Linian Jerilderie N. S. W., which had a pop-smiled and went about the house with ulation of 200. Ned Kelly looted the renewed energies. The landlord was not such a terror after all.

Mr. Payne called several times that month, always insisting that the bent was not yet needed, and his daytime visits generally meant a sleigh lide over the hills and back to the open fire, where they soon grew to be great

It was the first day of another month, and Mr. Payne called that evening. Yes, he had come to collect the rent this time, he answered as they drew two easy chairs before the fir "But mere money won't do," he said slyly as he drew a little nearer to her and took her hand in his. "I want you, little girl, to be my wife. you?" he pleaded.

"Are you sure you love me-sure you want me?" she said, with dropping glance and flushed cheeks.

"I am so sure, dear heart, that want nothing else in all the world but you. And I'll try not to be such a cross husband as I am a landlord Say 'Yes,' Lillian, and my life shall be yours to do with as you will."

"Yes, surely yes," Lillian murmured as he drew her lovely head to his shoulder and kissed the wavy locks that would slip out of bondage.

Hathorn's Horse Marines.

One of the great practical jokers of the British navy was one Jack Bathorn. He was officer of the watch in the day when it was customary for the guard to present arms to the officer commanding the vessel whenever he left or boarded the ship. One day Captain Burdett remarked as they were going through this ceremony before he went ashore: "Mr. Hathorn, I am tiled of this guard. Don't call it again when I come back.

Hathorn did not, but he managed to surprise the captain quite as thoroughly as if he had. When that dignitary came over the side on his return he found twenty of the after guard down on their hands and knees with swabs serving them for manes and tails, the mizzen top men on their backs with astride a quartermaster The captain was distinctly not delighted with the spectacle, whereupon Hathorn explained that he supposed that after the old. fashion had proved so tiresome a reception by cavalry might prove welcome. Hathorn was dismissed from the service for this bit of pleasantry!

Sized Him Up Correctly.

The man came into the barber shop. but he wasn't after shave, hair cut or shine. He looked about blankly for a moment and then asked:

"Where's the manicure?"

The boss was out at lunch, and it was the second barber who answered. 'She's not here."

He didn't say "She's not here today" or "She's not here any more." just "She's not here."

"Oh." said the man who wanted the manicure rather inconclusively. "that isn't much of an answer." Then siddenly. "You're not the boss here, are you?"

"No, I'm the second barber," replied

the other.

"Well, that's what you'll always be."

said the inquirer and went out. "I wonder what he meant by that. said the barber to the man he was shaving, One of them eccentric fel "I am Mr. Payne," said he as he lers, ain't he?"-New York Sun.

ANIMAL TAILS

The Functions of Those of Cats, Lions and Jaguars.

A cat never actually wags its tail Why should it when it can pur? But nevertheless it seems to serve the same purpose in permitting a temporary expenditura of excess nervous energy when the animal is under great strain. For instance, when carefully stalking a bird of a man, as in the case of a kitten of a lion, the tip of the tail is never still for a moment-ever curling and uncurling. We may compare this to the nervous tapping of the foot or fingers is a man. When an angry lion is roaring his loudest, his tail will frequently ash from side to side, giving rise among the ancients to the belief that he courged his body with a hook or thorn which grew from the end of the tail.

When a jaguar walks along a slepder bough or a house cat perambulates the top if a board fence, we perceive another important function of the tail, that of an aid in balancing. As a tigh: rope performer sways his pole, so the feline shifts its tail to preserve the center of gravity.

The tall of a sheep seems to be of little use to its owner, although in the breed which is found in Asia Minor and on the tablelands of Tartary, this organ functions as a storehouse of fat and sometimes reaches a weight of fifty pounds. When viewed from behind, the animal seems all fail, and when this appendage reaches its full size it is either fastened between two sticks which drag on the ground or it is suspended on two small wheels -C

BUSHRANGERS.

William Beebe in Outing Magazine.

laws In Australia.

Bushrangers were originally run away convicts who took to the bush as Australians call the backwoods and became holdup men. About the numerous that they fought regular ensent out to capture them, and this form of rime continued sporadically until within recent years. The most famous of later rangers were the Kell ly brothers. After many daring crimes bank of \$10,000, while his three pals held the men of the village cooped up in their libmes. Although there was a special bushranging act in force at the time authorizing the detention of per sons supposed to be in communication with the putlaws, the Kelly's were not heard of again for nearly a year, when they "stack up" the small town of Glenrowan, in Victoria. Here they were brought to bay, and three of the desperades were shot dead in a house they had Barricaded, while the leader Ned Kells was brought to the ground with a fallet through the legs. He was hanged in 1880. All four of the men were in the habit of wearing an armor made of plowshares and weighing almost a hundred pounds - New York American.

An Dutrageous Slandering:

The public may not know the good story, which has been a joy for many a long day among musicians, which tells how a celebrated conductor, ad mired and beloved by every one who knows him, accused his wife in broken English of conduct the reverse of admirable, to put it mildly. He was refusing anginvitation to an afternoon party for her on the plea of her dellcate health, but he evidently got a little mixed luring his explanations, for he made the following astounding statement which was news indeed to the world in general: "My wife lies in the aftermoon. If she does not lie, then she shindles!"

N. B.-"schwindeln" is the equivalent in German for "feeling giddy."-Cornhill Magazine.

Thoughtful.

There is an elderly business man of Cleveland of whom friends tell a story amusingly illustrating his excessively methodical manner of conducting both his business and his domestic affairs. The Clevelander married a young wo man living in a town not far away. On the evening of the ceremony the prospective bridegroom, being detained by an unexpected and important matter of business missed the train he had incutlasses drawn. Hathorn himself was tended to take in order that he might reach the abode of his bride at 7 o'clock, the hour set for the wedding. True to his instincts, the careful Clevelander immediately repaired to the telegraph office from which to dispatch a message to the lady. It read: "Don't marry till I come. Howard."-Harper's Weekly.

Acting Like a Man.

The curtain had just gone down on the second act, leaving the heroine in the villain's clutches. Up in the balcony a sentamental woman burst into tears.

"Don't crit, dear," said her husband. "Remember it's only a play. Act like

"Very well, John," said the lady, smiling through her tears. "You'll excuse me for a moment, won't you? I must run out and send a telegram,'-Bohemian.

The Trouble With Carr. "I rather like your friend." Mrs. Page said graciously after Carr had gone home "He is good looking and agreeable, but you can't call him a brilliant conversationalist. The Lawton girls taked all round him."

"Unfortugately," replied Mr. Page, "Carr cannet talk on a subject unless he knows semething about it."

MAKING A TIME TABLE

A Peep Into the Chart Room of a Great Railway.

WORKING OUT A SCHEDULE.

Threads and Pins That Enable the Officials to So Place Trains as to Avoid the Danger of Collision and All Unnecessary Loss of Time.

Travelers who consult the ever han dy time tables to the arrival or departure of the particular train that is to carry them probably never give a thought to the manner in which a modern time table is made up. To the un initiated it is a Chinese puzzle, and even those well versed in its mysteries often become confused. How are time tables made? What is the procedure in determining the speed of a train and the exact time and place it shall meet another train? The answer to these questions is to be found in the chart room.

The chart room is usually in some quiet corner of the general offices of a railway company and for weeks at a time is locked. But every now and then the word goes forth that the schedule is to be shortened or lengthened new trains to be put on or some change made that necessitates the revision of the time card. Then from distant points of the system the division superintendents gather for a conference with the heads of the passenger and freight departments in order to learn the most desirable time for trains to arrive and depart from terminals. With this information, they retire to the chartroom, where there is a separate chart for each district.

The charts are white boards about six feet wide and from two to five feet high. The names of the stations, ac curately scaled, are printed on the boards at the side, and from the top of the board many colored strings dangle. more suggestive of a parlor game than a tool for laying out the path of traffic and commerce.

The superintendents confer regarding the time at junction points on connecting trains and then work out the schedule on intermediate points on a chart of his division.

Horizontally the chart shows 12 midnight on the left side, and there is a line extending across the chart for each five minutes from that time until the full twenty-four hours have been shown. For convenience each third line, representing a period of fifteen

minutes, is in a different color. Superintendents are supplied with various colored silk thread, pins and a tack hammer. Red is used to designate a passenger train, green for a second class or freight train, and black is for a third class or local freight train. When ever a train is scheduled out of a terminal at a certain hour a pin is driven at the intersection of the station line and hour line-this being the beginning -and such other times at various stations as may be desired are determined by drawing the thread over the board to meet the intersection of the various stations and hour lines at the proper times. Where necessary tacks are driven to keep the thread on the proper

schedule. Westbound trains run down and diagonally to the right. Eastbound trains start at the bottom, run upward and diagonally to the right. Wherever these threads cross, a meeting point is indicated, and if this crossing of the threads is between station lines It is then necessary to adjust the time on each train, so that the meeting point will be at the most convenient station. This is done by holding the lines crossed at station with a pin. Of course on double tracks these meeting points are not necessary.

After the chart has been strung a former issue of the time card with pen and ink is brought into use, and the superintendent begins at original terminal, looks at the station line, and whenever any string representing a train crosses this station line he notes the time as shown on the proof of the time card. One train at a time is read from start to finish, and after they have all been checked they are rechecked to see that all meeting points are properly made and noted on proof. after which the time table is ready for the printer.

To make a successful time card superintendent must be perfectly familiar with the grade and track conditions and when stringing the thread must allow more time for unfavorable grade, railroad crossing and other unusual stops, so that the running time of the train will be uniform. Whenever it is desirable to make a meal stop a pin is put in at the proper station and the string run horizontally to the line until the required number of minute lines have been passed, when it is again taken down the board at the proper degree of speed. By making the string more vertical the speed is increased, as there are fewer minute lines crossed. By swinging thread to the right the speed is decreased, and by the use of pins this can be arranged between each station to suit conditions .- St. Louis Globe-Democrat

Disposing of Her Rivals. "The president of our club is an awfully clever woman." "What did she do?"

"Disposed of her rivals for office by putting them on the nominating committee."-New York Press.

Double Surprise.

The Friend-Your marriage to Sapp head was quite a surprise to me. The Ex-Widow-Well, I guess it was more of a surprise to him.-Boston Herald.

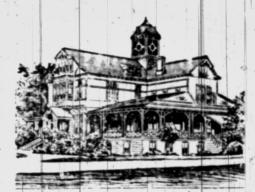
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At the Country Club.

By TEM LE BAILEY.

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The four women were drinking tea. Somewhere out in the October after noon were four men who made up the friendly octet, but the women, on account of the coolness of the day and the charm of the big fireplace, had elected to stay away from the links.

Three of the women were not young although the signs of age had been modified by careful grooming and dili gent massage. Mrs. Amesbury ever looked young with her slender figure her shining hair and her grace of ges ture and of carriage.

But Tressie Stuart was young, and therein lay the difference that made Mrs. Amesbury uneasy. One might give the lie to age by attention to complexion and costume, but there was a quality in Tressie's laugh, a light in her eyes, a buoyancy of spirit, that separated her from the other women and cast the blight of contrast upon Mason," Aunt Georgia said placidly. their beauty.

"Tressie," Mrs. Amesbury said, "stop roaming around the room. You make ingly me nervous.

"Oh, do I?" Tressie's apology was immediate. "It's something in the air. tucky"-I think. These fall days make me feel doors, and here we are drinking tea by the fire, like a lot of old tabby cats."

"We are a lot of old tabby cats," Miss Angela Amesbury agreed cheer not aspire to youthfulness. Having steered herself safely out of a some what emotional girlhood into a calm claim all middle aged privileges, and you mean, Angela," she said. tea drinking at the Country club was an indulgence that appealed to her comfortable soul.

"You are the only kitten in the on out and meet the men. They must be coming in by this time.'

"Angela," Mrs. Amesbury reproved her, "Tressie can't go without a chap-

"Why not?" Angela asked bluntly. "Two of the men are her uncles, the third is your husband, and she has swept toward them. "We were just known Junior Mason since she was a talking." she misstated sweetly. "o>

her shoulders-"you know we don't with orange salad and anything else think alike on such matters."

"No, thank goodness," said Miss Angela. And then the hitherto silent for were arguing. Aunt Georgia Stuart, who was official "I am going to announce it at once." Tressie's chaperon, interposed, Junior insisted. "Tressie always does as she pleases. Mrs. Amesbury." And Mrs. Amesbury, with another shring of her shoul- firmly, "and there are a dozen reasons; ders, gave up the argument and poured why I should tell them that we are herself a second cup of tea.

And so it happened that as Junior Mason came up the elm walk toward ered them. the Country club, with the dull orange of the sunset behind him, he saw hurrying to meet him Tressie Stuart in have you been here?" scarlet coat and stiff brimmed hat.

'I should have died if I had stayed ed. "Haven't we, Junior?" in there another minute," she told him "Can't we walk somewhere before Tressie." Junior said, making the asdark comes? This air is like wine."

"It's awfully muddy," he stated du; biously, "in this path under the trees. The other men are coming around by the road, but this was the shorter way. and I wanted to get a few minutes with you before the whole crowd began to pittle paffle."

"Don't be slangy." Tressie admouished.

"Well, you wouldn't call their small talk conversation, would you? It's pittle pattle, and Mrs. Amesbury is the worst of the lot."

"I am ashamed of you." Tressie scolded, "to criticise your elders." "Mrs. Amesbury wouldn't thank you

for calling her anybody's elder. She considers herself the leading juvenile of the Country club. That's why she's jealous of you." Tressie stared at him.

"Junior," she said severely, "I didn't know you could be so critical of a woman."

He had the grace to look uncomfortable. "She's made me so unhappy abou

you, Tressie," he blurted out at length "About me?" "Yes, when you were away all sum-

mer and didn't write to me once." Tressie's eyes were on the sunset. "No, I didn't write," she said after

a pause. "Why not?" "Mrs. Amesbury said-that there was

another girl, Junior." "What?" "Yes. She said you were paying de-

voted attention to a little Kentucky singer." "Oh!" Junior flung up his head. "And she told me you were going to marry

old General Barnes." "Who told you?" Tressie demanded.

"Mrs. Amesbury."

"Well, of all things!" Tressie's cheeks were flaming. "And you be-

lieved her, Junior?" "Well, you believed about the kentucky girl."

For a moment accusing brown eyes met accusing blue ones, and then they both laughed, the joyous laugh of youth that has come into its own

again. "She is good at-fiction," Tressie summed up. "She ought to be punished. Junior."

"Oh, let her go." Junior asserted. "and we will go for a walk, Tressie, and I will tell you all the things I have wanted to write and didn't dare."

But she would not go. "It is getting too dark," she said. "and even if I have known you all my lingale.

life, Junior, we must have some regard for conventions."

"Then let us slip in through the French windows and sit in the curtained alcove. They won't see us come in and we can talk outil dinner time." The alcore was opposite the fireplace and gave a full view of the three women at the low wicker tea table. Mrs. Ar esbury was prattling gayly.

"You see, dear Junior's money is a great temptation to the girls. Now, even Tressie"-

Tressie in concealment gasped, and there was wrath in her eyes. "Don't mind her," Junior whispered.

"I know you love me for myself." Tressie whirled around on him. "Who told you that I cared?" she

demanded. "You are taking a great deal for granted, Junior.' "Please can't I take it for granted?" he urged. "I am going to propose to

you right now, Tressie, or Mrs. Amesbury will never give me another They came out of their dream of

happiness some time later to hear Angela protesting. "But you wouldn't tie such beautiful

girlishness as Tressie's to that wornout old General Barnes?"

"He is very rich," Mrs. Amesbury evaded "I think Tressie will marry Junior

"They are great friends." Mrs. Amesbury shook her head pity-

"Junior likes so many girls. Now. there was that little girl from Ken-

Behind the curtains Junior growled like a young colt. I want to be out of "Piffle paffle," but Tressie put her fingers over his lips, and he kissed the

tingers and smiled at her. "Junior Mason is in love with Tressie," Miss Angela stated, "and you fully. Unlike her sister in law, she did know it, Marion. You had better let him marry her, and then she will be out of the running.'

Mrs. Amesbury stared at her sisterold maidism, she was prepared to in-law haughtily. "I don't know what

"Yes, you do." Miss Angela did not mince words. "You know you had always been the belle of the Country clut until Tressie Stuart came, and you crowd, Tressie," she went on. "Run don't like to abdicate to youth and beauty."

Mrs. Amesbury straightened up it her chair and glared at the sear Miss Angela.

"You are insufferable, Angela," she began, and then, as the three missing men appeared in the doorway. she what we should have for dinner. Oys "Oh, well"-Mrs. Amesbury shrugged ters and canvasbacks, don't you think you may suggest?"

Behind the curtains Tressie and Jun

"But" - Tressie began. "There are no 'buts,' " Junior stated

And just then Mrs. Amesbury discov-

"Why, Tressie Stuart!" she cried as

she opened the curtains. 'How long "Oh, a half hour." Tressie consider-

"Long enough for me to propose to tounding statement calmly.

"And she has said 'Yes." Junior went on. "I know you will congratulate us. Mrs. Amesbury."

And then with a last fling Mrs. Amesbury gave it up.

"My dear," she said bitingly as she kissed the reluctant Tressie. "who would have dreamed that it was poor

The Ermine.

running rapidly about among the stones. It would often vanish for a which it had disappeared. Ever on others the move, peering and sniffing here. there and everywhere, it would have been almost invisible on the snow in its coat of pure white were it not for the jet black tip on its tail and the flashing deep brown eyes and inquisitive nose.

was the ermine, with whose white fur we are all familiar and which in many countries is used for the royal robes of kings and queens to be worn at coronations and on other very special occasions. It is also used in some countries for the trimming of the cloaks of judges which they wear when sitting Telephone 174.2 Arlington in court, and there is a saying that when a man is made a judge he "dons the ermine." In the olden days the fur of the ermine was symbolic of purity. In this country the pretty white fur made up with the black tips of the tails placed at regular intervals is very popular.-Charles Livingston Bull in Metropolitan Magazine.

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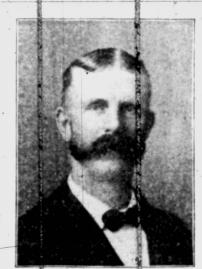
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5. 76. Historical Notes. 1. I are is only one rose left blooming in the garden. A Roman emperor, 2. Did your kite eatch in the lilac or

in the elder tree? A famous city of 3. Did you ever see a "cat o' nine

tails?" A Roman patriot. 4. I am afraid the rice crops in India will be very poor this year after this dry weather. The legendary founder of one of the most famous cities of

5. When I saw Ernest in his new cap I told him how well it suited him. A famous building in Rome.

No. 77 .- Missing Rhymes.

There was a young damsel so — They made her a pretty red —, But a fierce, cruel Of the dear would make ---For he on politeness he er ---

Another, in story named Once went with her brother -Their ma's wooden

Was spilled, and they rolled down -

No. 78.—Decapitation.

I am a word of five letters. Behead me and I am feminine; behead me again and I am asinine; curtail and I am a word of comparison; behead what is left and I am a sibilant. My whole is a very useful article of commerce.

No. 79.—Syncopations. [Example: Syncopate uproar and leave part of the face. Answer: No-i-se, nose.]

1. Syncopate to delay and leave an animal. 2. Syncopate to deceive and leave to converse. 3. Syncopate a kind of gum and leave part of a harness. 4. Syncopate an ecclesiastical headdress and leave deep mud. 5. Syncopate a pigment and leave to gasp. 6. Syncopate to cut and leave a prophet. 7. Syncopate a vision and leave a frac-

tion of an ounce. The syncopated letters will spell a word meaning gay.

No. 80.-Puzzle. When one is in trouble what relative do they need most?

No. 81.-Song Title.



A lullaby.

No. 82.—Geographical Cube.

f. o o o o o o 2.

1-3, a river flowing into the Ohio. 2-4, a county in New York.

2-7, a lake in Sweden. 7-6, a country of Europe. 3-4, a river of New York.

1-2, a city in Russia.

4-6, a city in New Hampshire. 5-6, a city in New York. 3-5, one of the Sandwich islands.

No. 83.-Insertions. 1. Insert a letter and change price into a shore.

2. Insert a letter and change proper into a solemn command. 3. Insert a letter and change method into homely.

4. Insert a letter and change a small table into part of a rope. 5. Insert a letter and change to color into a complaint.

6. Insert a letter and change to show the teeth into corn. 7. Insert a letter and change an animal into a bird.

Very Polite. If there ever were manners good, That prim young lady had 'em Who wouldn't say chrysanthe-mum; She said Chrysanthe-madam.

Key to the Puzzler. No. 68.-Hidden Rivers: 1. Gila. 2. Yazoo. 3. Dwina. 4. Thames. 5. Ural. No. 69.—Illustrated Numerical Enig-

ma: "Genius does what it must, and talent does what it can." No. 70. - Twisted Trees: 1. Rosy, came-sycamore. 2. Go, near-orange. No. 71.-Charade: Dogmatic. No. 72. - Divisions: 1. Tom-a-hawk.

2. Vat-I-can. No. 73.-Concealed Word Square; 1. Alert. 2. Lover. 3. Evade. 4. Redan. 5. Tread.

No. 74.-Subtraction: Her-ring. No. 75.—Geographical Anagrams: 1. Amsterdam. 2. Borneo. 3. Manhattan.

NEW SHORT STORIES

Cleveland as a Youth.

or Cieverand displayed in early t stubborn hisistence for what wed to be right which characto laid his carper as no spaor and president. When he was rifteen years of age, his elder brother secured for him a clerkship in the New York Institution For the Blind. In this school Miss Fanny Crosby, the famous hymn writer, was a teacher. Being blind, Miss Crosby found it necessary to have some one write down her verses. Young Grover proffered his services. which were accepted gratefully.

One day the principal of the institution entered the room where the future president of the United States was taking down from the blind woman's dictation a set of song verses, writing the lines in a heat, legible hand. The principal inquired what Grover was doing The box informed him. "That is not your work," said the

principal steraly. "And you, Miss Crosby, are not authorized to employ the time of the clerks in this institution in copying your poems. Let us have no more of this." Miss Crosby was deeply hurt, but

young Grover laughed softly as the stern official went out. Then the boy turned to the hymn writer.

"Look here, Miss Crosby," said Grover, "the principal had no business



WRITER

to talk that way. Your hymns are doing lots of good for this school. They help to make your services here more valuable. It is right and proper for you to have me write them down. Let's continue as before when you have a song for me to write and if the principal ninkes any further objection you give him a piece of your mind in plain prose."

Miss Crosby accepted this view, feel ing that it was the right one according to the boy's argument. A little later the head man caught the two. employees usain at the forbidden work. He remonstrated again, but Miss Crosby, as she related years later, after the election of her amanuensis to the highest executive office in the world, gave "the boss" some plain prose argument, which finally convinced him that he was wrong and she was right. After that Grover copied Miss Crosby's hymns without interference from the man higher up. It may be that his handwriting exercise at that time made it easier for President Cleveland to write with his own hand, as he did, more messages and state papers than any other president.

How Morgan Gets Results. A treasury official who has just returned from New York tells a story illustrative of the effort of J. Pierpont. Morgan, the New York financier, to

stop the financial depression. A Jewish manufacturer had been operating his business for some time on credit. His notes fell due early in November, and he went to a bank to get them renewed. Though he had been a large depositor and was known to be a man of scrupulous honesty the bank declined to grant him an extension, insisting that he should pay his notes on the day they fell due. This was impossible, and bankruptcy stared him in the face. He went to a friend and asked him what he should do.

"No bank will loan you a cent," said his adviser. I have it. Go to Mr. Morgan and state your case to him." "Oh, he won't do anything for me," the manufacturer responded hopeless-

ly. "But I'll try anyhow." Mr. Morgan received him courteously and listened to his statement. Then he turned to his phone and rang up the bank.

"Mr. So-and-so is in my office," he said, "and tells me you have declined to grant him an extension of his notes. It is just such people as you who are making the condition serious. Unless those notes are renewed I shall make it my business to ruin you."

Then the financier turned to his caller. "I think." he said, "you will find the bank willing to extend your notes."

It was .- Washington Herald. Jeff Davis at Home.

Senator Jeff Davis was not always senator. He was once governor of Arkansas and as such was considered all powerful. When the news of President McKinley's death reached a little group sitting on the dry goods boxes around a store in an Arkansas town one of the group remarked:

"I reckon that fellow Rusefelt will get that job now won't he?"

"I don't know," replied his neighbor as he shifted his wad of tobacco to the other side. "I ain't heard yit who Jeff's gwineter 'pint."

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Last Sunday the Winter Hill Congregational church celebrated the 25th anniversary of its organization. Rev. Charles L. Noves was installed as pastor and is still in charge. In the exercises Rev. Samuel C. Bushnell, of the Orthodox Congregational church, Arlington, was given a prominent place, his being the third oldest pastorate in the Suffolk of the Conference, with a service of over

When Benjamin Franklin flew kites to entice the lightening he, little thought to what queer uses his discovery mine resumes her "Life of Mrs. Eddy," would be put. How could the old phil- giving the history of the Schism in the osopher have foreseen that the mysterious electric fluid would be used to impart the leges in his article, "The Social Value of fashionable wave to dainty woman's hair, the College-Bred;" George Kibbe Turnto warm the baby's milk, to make pop corn, heat the irons for ironing day and cook dinner without fuss, smoke, cinders bird's and are offering for sale an aerial or dirt. For use in an invalid's room, where it is essential to have artificial heat always at hand for application to a patient's extremities, the electric heating mals;" Ellen Terry continues the absorbpad is a great improvement on the old ing story of her interesting life. To all rubber bag that had to be refilled with hot water as the contents cooled. The heat is uniform, and there is no danger of its delightful course. "Wilkinson's Wife applying it at too great temperature so as is an amusing tale. The Twisted Cord" to produce bad burns, such as sometimes result from hot water bags.

specimens of the result of Mr. Wilbert E. Marshall's experiments in taking photographs in colors. The results as evidenced by these specimens are really as tonishing, and to the novice are of course a great mystery. All he can do is to adtography:-

reality. At the Litchfield Studio in Arlington, foremost in everything pertaining comed invited guests who were present to the art, some wonderful specimens are on exhibition. Mr. Marshall, in speaking of the process, said: 'I have been equipped for the work for some time, but owing to the rush of the studio work, have been unable to find the time to de- table, fianked on either side by articles vote to it until recently. The process is, in the main, comparatively simple to the thinking, careful workman and to my mind is but the commencement of a new era, not only of photography, but of photographers.'

A Six Cent Fare.

The increase in fares on the Lexington & Boston Street Railway that has been expected ever since President Richards' and applause. Mayor Wardwell, who announcement at the Newtowne Club some time ago, is to go into effect on Stony remarked, countered cleverly on Feb. 1st. The charge will be six cents his friend when called on to speak, and where it is now five.

in the ticket and transfer system. The on the part of the average man for his custom of issuing tickets enabling right- duties as a citizen and voter. ful holders to ride from town centre to town centre for five cents will be discontinued, and passengers will be carried ferred and spoke of the purposes and aims only from any point in one town to any as well as benefits to accrue from this other point in the same town for a single

Transfers will be issued as at present, except that transfers will be given to all passengers paying their fare within the base, Mr. N. J. Hardy being spokesman limits of one town for any other point and performing his task in a happy manwithin the same town; these transfers to ner. With the single exception of prebe given regardless of whether the pas- sident, the officers for 1908-9 are the same senger boards the car within town limits. as last year. Dr. J. W. Bailey naturally

the necessity for this increase in fares, with reports of the annual meeting and will not be permanent. The management | meetings of the executive committee durpoints out, that the capital stock has in- ing the year, reading correspondence, etc. creased since the opening of the road in During the dinner a song sheet prepared 1900 from \$250,000 to \$525,000, while the by the committee was used at intervals net divisible income has fallen from up-ward of \$20,000 in 1900 to \$267.95 in 1907. troup, with vocal and instrumental music, No dividends have been paid since 1904, highly entertained the members and when the dividend was one per cent.

roads which was discontinued on Nov. joyments of the evening ended. This was 1st, 1907, is to be resumed this Saturday, preceded by stereopticon views of high the same rates of fare as on the other branches being charged. This will make the fare from Lexington to Woburn twelve cents. This increase of income is hoped to put this branch on a paying

Andersonville Stockade.

Last Monday evening Mr. Robert H. White, a comrade of Post 36 at Arlington, was the guest of Post 119 at Lexington and for nearly two hours held the absorbed attention of G. A. R. comrades and Associates while he told the story of Andersonville and some of his experiences there and at Florence and Milan. Mr. White began by briefly stating why Andersonville was established. Inhabitants of places where prisons were located

regulations by those in charge of the T. W. Talcott Deceased. Arlington Advocate regulations by those in charge of the prisons, the plain purpose of the rebel government being to reduce prisoners to the point of incapacity and then accomplish an exchange. Failing in this, Jefferson Davis wrote to General Winder Fowle's Block, Mass. Avenue, ordering him to proceed south, where reease would be an impossibility, build a stockade large enough to contain all the prisoners, and so confine them there "that the depletion of their ranks would seem to be by natural causes." This was done, Andersonville being the place chosen. large picture of the stockade made the description given exceedingly plain, and the total available acreage and the number or people herded there bore out the oft repeated statement that there was not room enough for all to lay on the g ound at one time. Rations were a part of a kind of raw corn meal one day, corn dough, baked without salt, and dealt out in small pieces the next, each half of the prison alternating with the raw and cooked rations. No clothing, tents, cooking utensils or other helps to comfort were issued. No surgeon or doctor ever entered the pen. No man sent to the hospital ever returned to the stockade. Men died first by the dozens daily, then by scores, then by the hundred, and that death rate, which has been established by legal enquiry, is all proof needed of the

truthfulness of the story. Mr. White has a remarkable gift of language, is clear and logical in his grouping of facts, and at times was eloquent with the suppressed feeling which kept his utterances along the line of the conversational tone. Copies of documents on file at Washington were introduced to bear out his statements. We will add North Conference. Rev. Alexander Mac- that we have verified Mr. White's docu-Kenzie, D. D., of Cambridge, is the dean ments, and from the lips of schoolmates who were also confined in Andersonville, and a sister, Mrs. L. B. Fuller, of South forty years; Rev. Mr. Noyes comes next his personal experiences have been in the with his quarter century term; Rev. Mr. main duplicated and his story of the Bushnell is third with his record of eight- treatment of prisoners verified. In fact, Mr. White did not expose the blackest side of the picture.

For variety of interest the February McClure's is in the lead. Miss Milearly church. Prof. William James of Harvard sounds a battle-cry to the coler's article, "The Men Who Learned to Fly," describes the experiments of inventors who have made better wings than a war-ship; William F. Hornaday, director of the New York Zoological Gardens. courageously enters the arena with an article on "The Psychology of Wild Anithese good things is added the spice and flavor of fiction. Mary Stewart Cutting's serial novel, "The Wayfarers," continues is a remarkable story of adventure. McClanahau, the Chinese Laundry, and McClanahau, the Chinese Laundry, and Policy of Diamonds," "The The other day we were shown Mothers," are among those which complete the entertainment. There are poems and pictures galore. The dover design is Henry Beuterdahl's.

Sportsmens' Association.

The 1908 annual meeting of Middlesex Sportsmens' Association was the most MIDDLESEX SS mire and conjecture as to what the pro- successful and enjoyable of any previ- To the hers-at-law, next of kin cess may be. In a recent issue of the ously held, which is saying much as Cambridge Chronicle was the following these gatherings have been, from the pertaining to Mr. Marshall's colored pho- start, full of interest and pleasure to participants. The meeting this year was held at the American House, and the ban-"Another giant stride has been taken quethall, with convenient reception rooms, in the already wonderful advance of pho- made an ideal place for the meeting. tography, and the picturing of objects in the company gathered about six o'cleck their true colors,—a dream of a few and the time preceding the dinner passed months ago, - is at last a very tangible quickly as members renewed acquaintances of social life or the camp, or welin considerable numbers.

> The dinner was served in the main hall, where tables for over two hundred were set. The walls were adorned with two large U. S. flags behind the officers' suggestive of camp life and stuffed trophies of the sportsman's skill with the rifle. The dinner was excellent, served promptly and thoroughly enjoyed.

President E. S. Baker, of Winchester, proved to be a model presiding officer. terse and brief in his announcements and humorous in his introduction of guests. The first to be introduced was Judge Stone of Belmont and a series of stories by him made the hall ring with laughter had "floated in with the tide," as Judge then gave a thoughtful word, eloquent There will be in addition some change as well, on the importance of more regard

The new president, Dr. A. H. Tuttle, thanked his associates for the honor conbanding together of gentlemen sportsmen. The recognition of the services of Dr. Baker as president was the presentation of a silver loving cup on an ebony It is hoped by the management that had a prominent place in the exercises.

by the entire company, and a colored highly entertained the members and guests and also had a place in the excellent vaudeville show with which the enjoyments of the evening ended. This was preceded by stereopticon views of high merit, many of them novel. Messrs. O. W. Whittemore, Edw. S. Farmer, N.J. Hardy were the Arlington members of the reception committee, and among the members and guests we noted the following and eight.

according to said application.

And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lexington three successive weeks, in the Lexington, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lexington, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to be one day, at least, before said Court. Witness, CHARLES J. Mc INTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty seventh day of Judge of said Court, this twenty seventh day of and eight. The Woburn branch of this system of lent vaudeville show with which the enmembers and guests we noted the fol-

lowing:— J. W. Bailey, James R. Mann, Dr. C. A.
Dennett, Thos. O. D. Urquhart, William H.
Pattee, Jesse P. Pattee, A. H. Knowles, Chas.
W. Allen, Stuart Allen, L. L. Peirce, Harrie

D ISINFECTANT Peirce, Rodney T. Hardy, John C. Holmes, H. W. Reed, Chas. T. Hartwell, William A. Marshall, Edwin A. Jacobs, Roland A. Hobbs, Chas. Higgins, W. A. Stevens, Herbert Cook, Hollis Gott, Everett Chapman.

Owing to the extreme mildness of the weather The Dunlap, Cooke Co. Ltd. "Canadian Fur Store,"167 Tremont street, Boston, have decided to offer their entire

The funeral of Mr. T. W. Talcott oc curred on Friday, Jan. 24, at two o'clock, from his litte home on Henderson street. It was largely attended by neighbors and friends, besides business men and associates of Boston, where he deceased has been engaged as a wholesale woolen joiher for many years. Rev. Wing Austin Hill, of Inity Baptist church, conducted the devotional service and in his remarks he paid affitting and high tribute to the sterling worth and integrity of the dereased, both as a business man and citien. Beautiful selections were rendered by the Lalus Male Quartette and were, "Still, still with Thee," "Passing out of the shadow," "Rock of Ages.". The bu-rial was of Sunday at Mt. Pleasant Ceme-

The death of Mr. Talcott resulted from stroke of paralysis which he suffered on Tuesday, can 21st, after returning from his business on that day, and he died the evening of the same day. The deceased for many years was employed as head salesman for Samuel Williams, wholesale woolen jobber of Boston, who held him in high esteem. For twelve years' Mr. Talcott has been in business for himself. which he has carried on successfully. He has been a resident of Arlington for twenty-four years; was a charter member of the East Arlington Improvement Society and also of the Gov. Rowell Colony Pilgrim Fathers of Cambridge. Both of these organizations sent beautiful floral mounds to the funeral. A large wreath was sent from his business associates. There were many other floral tributes from relatives and friends. Besides a wife, the deceased leaves three sons,— Julius P. of New York, Frank A. of Win-throp, Mass., LeRoy of West Medford, Woodstock Conn.

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Whereas a sertain instrument proporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by ! e Roy Talcott who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor the tein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

named, without giving a surety on lits official bond.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be field at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of Rebruary, A.D., bos, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the ARLEGTON ADVOCATE, a newspaper published in Arlington, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by nailing post-paid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of Sid Court, this thirtieth day of January, in the year one thousand nine handred and eight.

W. E. ROGERS, 186.

OTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been suly appointed administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Walker Currier, late of Arlington, in the county of Middlesex, deceased, and has take upon himself that trust by giving bond, and appointing Henry W. Bullard, of Arlington, his agent, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required so exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber.

DAVID CURRIER, JR., Robbins Boad, Arlington.

January 25,21908. COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

To all persons interested in the distribu tion of a pertain trust estate under the provision of the will of ELLEN M. HAR-RINGTON, late of Lexington, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, Walliam I. Parker, the trustee under said will, has made application for an order to convert the said trust estate into cash, and for distribution of the proceeds among the persons entitled to the same by the provisions of said will. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be head at Cambridge, in said County of Middledey, or the sevent earth day of February. Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of February, A.D., 1908, at the o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said conversion into cash should not be ordered and distribution made according to seid application.

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Best Home Burifier of Foul Places. Destroys Decomposition; maintains condibers of the company. It is the original New stock at reductions that will ensure men- tions Essential to Health. Beware of York east that is playing in Boston. This is in the south protested against the con- ey saving purchases of reliable and high inferior imitations. Look for the above the only engagement in New England. The ditions to which they were subjected class furs, secured from first hands in through neglect of all sanitary and other canada and delivered to them duty free. Only the genuine bears it.

Brief News Items.

The Democratic politicians of Boston say they have got the party together again.

Ocean steamers crossing the Atlantic have encountered terrific storms causing delay and serious damage in some cases.

driven five miles from her station during the storm of Jan. 24. Mayor Hibbard's "government by commis-on" bill is not likely to be favorably consid-

The lightship on Nantucket Shoals was

ered by the Legislature.

The interests of See'y Taft in this state are o be looked after by Congressman Powers. He is able and resourceful.

The Boylston street bridge in Boston is again closed for repairs. Last fall traffic over it was stopped for several weeks, In addition to the loss of the million dollar

City Hall by fire last week, business blocks in Portland, Me., valued at \$900,000 were burned As a presidential candidate Secretary Taft.

s shown by a polling of both houses to be strong in Congress. A majority of the Republi-

The President suggests a pension for super-anuated or disabled life savers. No men are more worthy of such compensation for service Admiral Evans' fleet has completed about half of its long journey to the Pacific coast,

without delay or accident, but the straits are Samuel J. Elder, Esq., will place an eighteen ton granite boulder for a monument on his lot

in the Winchester cemetery, where his wife was recently interred. Mayor Hibbard has been busy since assum-

ing office in cutting off heads of superfluous city employees in Boston. On Wednesday eighteen men were relieved, some of them with not small salaries. By inference, the prosecution in the Thaw trial places small weight in the evidence that

be ended, it is expected. ance in Boston recently as a leader of the "un-employed," has been arrested for violation of city ordinances and is held for trial, the pris-

oner refusing to accept bail offered. A combination of a practical cleaner and disinfectant which absolutely kills every germ with which it comes in contact is found in Sul pho-Napthol. On account of its superior qualities as a cleansing agent and germicide, it is now being widely used in the best hotels, apartment houses and private homes, and in every case, with absolute satisfaction. It is manufactured by the Sulpho-Napthol Co., Boston,

Returning to take up her residence in the Boston district after an absence of nineteen years, Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, the leader of the Christian Science movement, is to day set tled in her new home at Chestnut Hill. domicile from now on will be the former Lawrence estate, 384 Beacon street, at the corner of Hammond street; and while legally her residence is therefore Newton, she is, for the first time since her withdrawal to Pleasant View, within easy reach of the Christian Science headquarters and the Mother Church, that serve to centre the world-wide activities of the denomination in Boston.

Nine years after the battle of Manila Bay Secretary Taft records the results of the American occupation of the Archipelago and forecasts the future of the Filipinos in an exhaustive report transmitted to Congress by the President, which he accompanies with a letter, commending in the highest terms the Secretary's conclusions. The President declares that ruin would have followed the adoption of any other policy towards the Philippines than that outlined by William McKinley and carried forward through nine years, and asserts that there is no brighter page in history than that dealing with the relations between the strong and the weak in those islands. He adds that the Filipinos "have yet a long way to all other persons interested in the estate travel before they will be fit for complete self-

> On account of the practice which has grown up of deferring calls which would ordinarily be made through the day, until after 6 p. m., when the night rate goes into effect, the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company and the Southern Massachusetts Telephone Company have announced that on and after February 1st, 1908, the night rate for their toll service will apply between the hours of 10 p. m. and 4 a. m. instead of between 6 p. m.

> Frederic Hudson, in his "History of Journalism," referring to the Boston Evening Transcript in its youthful days, early in the 1800's, say: "It was small, always clean, and was a general favorite in the family circle." In the last two qualities the Transcript remains the same. In the former much difference may be noted; it has grown from a tiny four page sheet to a daily journal of from 16 to 52 pages in size. Its reputation as a clean newspaper of true worth continues to grow as well. It is on sale at the news agencies

Theatre Notes.

Walter C. Kelley, the Virginia, judge, Winsor McCay, the famous cartoonist, Lina Marrdon and her beautiful Arabian steeds, will head one of those Orpheum bills that are attracting so much attention. Mr. Kelley is one of the staunchest favorites that has ever appeared in Boston. Winsor McKay is by far the greatest F. W. ALLTON, Prop. of all artists who undertake to draw caricatures and other features of this strong bill are the Kinsons in a new musical act, Delmore and Lee on the trapeze; Dolan and Lenharr in a very funny sketch called "The Wire Tapper;" the Village Choir, and others.

Seldom has it been the lot of any stage favorite to meet with the absolutely tremendous receptions that have greeted May Irwin at Keith's this week, and she has amply deserved them, for the greatest of American comediennes is in great fettle. She is to remain at Keith's for just one more week. The surrounding bill will be of surpassing strength, for it will include among its leading features Mr. Hymack, know as "The Chameleon Comedian;" The Josettis and their Lilliputians; Harry L. Tighe and his company of collegians, in a rollicking sketch; Searl and Violet Allen and company, in their fast-moving singing and dancing skit; Frederic Voelker, one of the greatest violinists ever heard in vaudeville; Vinie Daly, one of the most graceful and nimble of dancers; the Valdare Trouple of six pretty girls who are very expert cyclists; and the Three Nightingales, in a delightful vocal turn; and up-todate pictures by the Kinetograph will complete "The man of the Hour" at the Tremont is

the theatrical talk of all Boston and the fame of this fascinating and timely play is spreading throughout New England. It is a drama of charming sentiment that appeals to all womankind. It sparkles with delightful humor and crisp epigrams. It appeals to all men who believe in honest government, by its vivid exposition of machine politics and graft methods, and it is entirely non-partisan. Mayor Hibbard Grain and Coal Elevators, - CAMBRIDGE JUNCTION personally went behind the scenes on the open-ing night and congratulated the players. "It is a splendid company and a splendid play's said he 'and a splendid agent for reform.' Upon the same night President Roosevelt in Washington saw another of the Brady-Grismer companies play "The Man of the Hour." He expressed the keenest delight. At the end of the third act he arose in his box. join ed in the applause and bowed to the mem-

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made a short visit to his home people re- gratitude. ently

Mrs. Charles Hadley.

Next Sunday morning Rev. H. A. Mac-Donald will exchange with Rev. Herbert Whitney, of West Somerville.

The short time that the snow remained there were many who enjoyed coasting in the day. down Fern street and the 'mountain.' The attendance last \$unday at Follen

Sunday school was seventy-three and all fested. Next Sunday evening the Follen Guild

There has been but little really safe truly a season of worship. skating this winter. Some from here tried the raservoir, but there were dan-

gerous spots.

they made \$6.10. The snow which visited us from the porthland made us a short stay. Some, or many, really enjoyed it in preference

to the germ laden dust. e hear that the church treasury will

after the expenses are paid. In naming those last week from here who were installed officers of the Ida F. But er Rebekah Lodge at Arlington, the name of Mrs. Annie Needham (for treas-

erer) was accidentally omitted.

Saturday evening Master Elinus Hadley group of boys and girls filled his home gifts. Cocoa, sandwiches, cake and candy were served.

The president of the Guild, Mr. Benjamin Stoney, led the meeting Sunday evening, as there seemed to be no one appointed to read or speak. His subject was, "The sunny side of things," or a continuation of the thought of the pastor's sermon. It was enjoyed by all.

Friday evening, Jan. 24, Miss Lillie M. Wright entertained the girls' choir at her home and after the rehearsal for Sunday, the boys whom she invited appeared, making a party of sixteen. They enjoyed games, and music and partook of a fine entertainment of candy, cake and ice cream. All had a fine time.

Miss Kate Armstrong and Miss Pearl E. Wright were chosen delegates from Follen Guild to attend the meeting of the Universalist Young People's Christian Union and the Unitarian Religious Union which was held at Exeter street, Boston, on Wednesday of this week. There were other representatives from here.

Mr. A. Bradford Smith has resigned his position as janitor of the Adams school house, which takes effect this Saturday, trasting of colors is really beautiful. All prices from five to seventy-five cents per roll. ed to fill the place. After twelve years of faithful service the whole community regrets that Mr. Smith deemed it expedient to leave. During these many years House, Sign and Decorative Painter, there has been the greatest unanimity of feeling existing between Mr. Smith, parents teachers and scholars. The town loses a conscientious helper, as it is a re- Artington 89-4. Somerville 412-6.

y, owing to the storm.

Worthen, from Holliston, own, and all feel they owe him a debt of the ladies' parlor.

— The woman's Cand of Park Avenue Conglichurch met a uesday afternoon in the ladies' parlor.

When items appear in other places in Miss Charlotte Ellibt, of Marltoro, our paper which belong to our village, we are often questioned regarding non-insertion and so will say once and again, that in most cases the fault is not ours, Mass., has been the guest of her aunt, we are often questioned regarding nonbut those to whom they pertain kindly request us to do so. Sometimes, in the best ordered newspaper, household news will not reach the reporter until too late

Last Sunday morning about ninetythree were present at the children's service and the pastor says the inspiration are proud of the growing interest mani- of numbers is seldom felt more than it was at that time. Great credit is due to the children for the animated and, at meeting will be led by Mr. Samuel G.

Ethel MacFarland rendered a solo and avenue, who has been confined to the Sarah Buttrick a response. The pastor house for the past three weeks with gripp. times, touching music they contributed.

We gladly insert the following in regard to an important factor in our town. Briday was an unfortunate day for the the members of the Fire Dept. gave their day) evening, before and after the regular food sale held by the Alliance and it had annual clam chowder and entertainment also to be held on Saturday. We hear by the captains of the companies. The at the church on the coming Sabbath. members of the companies had as their guests, the town officials and fire fighters from surrounding towns. The hall was decorated and the tables arranged in an artistic manner. After the clams had been disposed of, the entertainment opened. Each number was furnished by be enriched by about thirty dollars, the members of the department. The proproceeds of the dramatic entertainments, gram was given by Frank Fletcher, John H. Wright, Bert Jenness, Everett Wellington, Wallace Wright, Alfred Stoney, for Florida, by way of the Clyde steamer, Lawrence Scott, and consisted of sketches. sailing from New York. Mrs. Brockway monologues and solos. The committee in charge were Wilson Dewire, Charles Hadley, Patrick Kelley, Bert Jenness and Augustine before her return. Her bro John Wright. Leslie Phillips presided ther, Mr. Hight, expects to join Mrs. at the piano." We wish to add that one Brockway in a week or two. held a birthday party at his home and a of the guests said he hadn't laughed so much as at this entertainment, for many with merriment. They brought pretty a year, and it was good in these troublous times. Mr. John H. Wright, of Adams fire company, is becoming a noted chef and there are few who can beat him on clam chowder.



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-Sunday morning, at the Methodist church, members will be received into the church on probation and by letter.

The Sunshine (hab meets next Wed) nesday afternoon with Mrs. W. O. Pari tridge. The first part of the afternoon will be devoted to the business of the club. followed by whist.

-At the 6.15 Sunday evening meeting of the Epworth League on the coming Sabbath, a speaker will be present from the Young People Missionary Move ment of Greater Bosson.

+Mrs. C. H. Kenney, of Crescent Hill spoke on "Cheeriness." The service was which has been complicated with pleurituly a season of worship. sy, is now reported as recovering slowly

-There will be abusiness meeting of the church and prudential committee conmachinery: "Thursday evening, Jan. 23, nected with the Bapast church, this (Fri prayer service. There will be a baptism

-The Singing Club met Monday eve ning, with a good attendance, both of the singers and associates. The concert for which the club is rehearsing, will occur February nineteenth. The social part of the emning closed with dancing, music being jurnished on the piano by Mr. Geo. H. Awrill.

-Mrs. Charles Brockway left Tuesday expects to be absent wo months and will visit Jacksonville, Grange Park and St.

-On Sunday evening Rev. Mr. Reimer of the Methodist cherch, will begin a se ries of biographical sermons that will continue through the month of February. The subjects will be as follows: Feb. 2, "Abraham, the friend of God;" Feb. 9, "Samuel the Seer;" Feb. 16, "Daniel the musical king;" February 23, "Daniel the faithful." The service is at seven o'clock to which all interested are cordially invited to attend.

-Tuesday evening Mr. William Par tridge, Jr., was in the play entitled "Mrs Briggs of the poultry vard," given by the Lend a Hand Club of Newtonville, in the Universalist church of that place. Mr. Partrage also coached the other members of the cast. On thursday evening of next seek he, with Mr. Dobson of the Height, will be seen in a dramatic performance at Billericas where he has also been coaching the play.

well in evidence. The spread was served current events as the subject.

being violet. The ladies favors were A. Bishop. There were spectators and witbaskets of violet bon-bons and the gentle- nesses who occupied one end of the stage. men's, the satisfying weed. The evening

-The subject of Rev. Mr. Reiner's ser-"The Eternal: I Am.

-Dept. Grand Master Workman Hall, of Wellesley, will be the installing officer for Circle Lodge, on the evening of Feb. 7. in Crescent Hall.

-The residents of this section will no doubt be glad to learn that the branch office of the Express Co. will be re-established at the Arlington Heights R. R. station after Feb. 1st. Station agent Mc-Kenzie will be in charge, with Mr. W. R. Stiles as delivery man.

There were seventy present on Tuesday evening at the old-time social held under the direction of the Friday Social Club, in the Park Avenue Congregational church. The evening was in charge of Mesdames J. F. Tilden, E. C. Shirley and W. M. Lloyd, who dressed in old-fash- Telephone 266-6. ioned costumes, as did also Mrs. Norval Bacon and Mrs. Crockett, who poured at the refreshment table, Mrs. Henry E. Dix and Mrs. George A. Clark assisting.

A double male quartette, composed of Messis. Luther Sherman, H. E. Dix, W. J. Vaughn, J. F. Tilden, Chas. Bell, Norval Bacon, W. M. Lloyd and C. L. Doe. made a great hit with old-time southern melodies, and created no end of curiosity and fun by the partial masks worn, which concealed their identy completely. Mr. Doe contributed the bass solo, "Out on the Deep," which was much enjoyed, and Mr. Sherman, by request, sang the topical song, "He's a Cousin of Mine." Mrs. Shirley was the accompanist of the evening and also played a piano solo. Readings were given by Mrs. Clark, A good deal of merriment was gotten from the spelling match, conducted by Mrs. B. C. Currier, with Mr. Tilden as referee. The honors went to Mr. Sherman and H. H. Kendall. At the conclusion of the entertainment a refreshment of doughnuts, cheese, cookies, peppermints, tea and coffee, was served from a table arranged with old pewter. The affair was a success in every particular.

-The Study Club had a rich treat at its meeting on Tuesday afternoon, which occurred at the home of its president, ARLINGTON NEWS CO. Mrs. Cyrus E. Dallin. The speaker was the hostess' talented husband, Mr. Dallin, the scuiptor, who gave a lecture on American sculptors. Nearly the entire membership was present and, with the guests, made a large company who listened with rapt attention while Mr. Dallin entertained, as well as instructed, his audience in matters pertaining to sculptors and their work. In opening, Mr. Dallin said he would speak in regard to the influences that had come to make up The committeet for the regular meeting of the K. P. G. 1 sub-planned and carried out successfully a surprise, not only for one special member, but for nearly all. The club met at the home of Mr. and Mr. George Lloyd, where they were informed that a surprise had been plan. informed that a surprise had been plan-ned for Mr. Charles Tucker, in honor of his birthday, and members were invited whom Mr. Dallin spoke at some length. to adjourn to the home of Mr. and Mrs. The speaker felt that there is a great fu-E. F. Hurns, on Oaksand avenue, where ture for American art and gave his rea-Mr. Tucker was caught "unawares." sons for making the statement. In clos-Mrs. Burns had, however, been let into the secret and the cleb was delightfully entertained, whist, as usual, occupying the greater part of the evening. A birth-the close of the lecture the meeting adday is never quite complete without gifts journed to Feb. 11th, when the club will and refreshments and these features were meet at the home of Mrs. Vaughn, with

On Friday evening of last week, Jan.

Mock Trial of the K. of C.

24th, Arlington Council K, of C. gave record breaking entertainment in Town Hall, which was filled to its full capacity by the friends of the Knights who show ed their delight and appreciation of the performance in a most numistakable manner. The program opened with a brief vaudevitle performance which set the fan going in good earnest. In our account of the affair we are indebted to Mr. John R. Hendricks. The oronestra gave the curtain raiser and Frederick Roche, slight-of-hand artist, opened with part of the program.

The second part was the much-heralded mock trial. The court had three cases to dispose of, the first being the "offal" piggery case of the town of Arlington vs Mr. Dawson, the second the case of a book agent who was bitten by a dog, and the third the much-talked about breach of prouse case of Smythe vs Smith. The jury was made up of characters representing many nationalities and walks in life. John A. Bishop, as the strong-minded woman, who would run the courthouse to suit herself, made a hit from the start, and David T. Dale, who took the part of widow Rebekah Hart D'Molisha Smythe, the plaintiff in the case, was a hit.

The first case was disposed of in short order, it being postponed until the court meets some other time. In the second case, John W. Power as Sales R. Good, the book agent, and P. W. Kelley as Farmer Hiram Hocake, the defendant, had things out in court and at the conclusion of their testimony the jury found in favor of the defendant and the plaintiff was thrown out of court bodily by the court officer, he not having had any good case. the satisfaction of the strong-minded woman, she proceeded to demolish things and run the court herself, throwing the lawyers out of places and knocking the pelling the defendant and the plaintiff to make up and, promise to marry. The characters were assumed with no little appreciation of their dramatic and comedy situations and impersonated so as to keep the andience in constant ripples of laughter by the following per-

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The affair was under the direction of was an enjoyable one in every particular. Charles J. Harrold. The ushers were John Sweeney, Willia D. Grannan and mon on next Sunday morning will be. John Savage. Following the session of the court the half was cleared and dancing was enjoyed until a late hour, the floor being in charge of Daniel F. Ahern, James M. Mead, John A. Bishop, John J. Mahoney, William J. Dacey and John A. Savage,

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"'Overdoing it? No, indeed. It may look like overdoing it, but Juggins knows his way about. As long as he holds both the fellow's hands he knows his purse is safe." - Washington Star.

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"Gracious."

"Yes, but that's not all. She must also put up fruit, dry apples, make apple butter and do any odd painting that might be needed around the house before supper. Then she must husk corn, shell peas, make quilts and whittle triggers for the rabbit traps before bedtime. Then when she goes upstairs she will find a lot of overalls. jumpers and jackets and a big gold leaf sign right over the lamp. 'It is never too late to mend.' Then"

But the little widow had picked up her valise and fled.-Chicago News.

Sauce For the Goose.

"So Miss Elder took advantage of leap year and proposed to Cholly, eh?" "Yep. But Cholly succeeded in getting the fatal day put off till June. "How did he do it?"

"Told her it would take him that long to get his trousseau ready." Cleveland Lealer.

s to Sport.



Mobilist-Had much sport? Sportsman-Oh, only one hare. And you?

Mobilist-A rooster, three dogs, six fowls and two ducks!

Captious Criticism.

"Pardon me." said the budding poet to the crabbed editor. "May I inquire why you do not wish to accept my poems? Are the feet wrong?"

"The feet are passable," replied the crabbed editor with some acerbity. "but the poeins are bowlegged." Judge.

There's the Rub.

Knox-He thinks he's quite a controversialist

figures upon any subject that comes

Knox-Perhaps, but his facts and fig ures won't go down.-Philadelphia Press

Coming to Him All Right. St. Peter-You were a Wall street

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Landlord-Remember that you agreed to leave the tenement in the same condition in which you found it. Tenant-All right. I understand that 57 Lake St.,

the man who occupied it before I did left owing three months' rent.-Harper's Weekly.

Her Preference.

"I expect," said the poet, "to live in history.

"Well," replied his sad eyed wife, "I hope you may, but for my part I'd a good deal rather live in something resembling comfort."-Chicago Record-Herald.

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Sounds Queer.

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By virtue of a power of sale contained in an certain mortgage deed given by Marion A. Mac-Bride to Charles N. Jennings, dated May 21, 196, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex, So. Dist., libro 3301, follows did his cordiality.

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Rapid "Dactylography." They have just been holding a "dad ylographs competition" in Paris Dactylography is a new name for type writing. The test was to write from dictation the greatest number of words with the smallest possible number of errors in pur consecutive hours. There were 314 competitors, about evenly di vided ameng men and women. They were seated at typewriters in a semi circular room, at the center of which sat Auguste Bordais, a resolute cham-pion of our fashioned writing.

At 8 a. In the chronometer keeper of the Automobile club gave the word "Go!" the voices of 314 persons started dictation and 3,140 fingers began to wiggle, all began at the same point in "Paul and Virginia," the samous romance by Bernardin de St. Pierre. A midday the word to stop was given and even competitor ceased on the

The most rapid rdactylographer proved to be Mr. Dubost of Paris, who had type ritten fifty nine pages, containing 1,000 words, or at the rate of about seventy words a minute. The old fashicaed writer with his pen had written is four hours, in a beautiful hand and without a single error, thirty pages of lext, containing 9,000 words. -Chicago News.

The Man Behind the Guns.

Probably our navy is as good as any and we are not foolish if we think i the best. There are complaints against all navies. Many years ago when the Inflexible was on the stocks in Eng land able constructors proved by math ematics that when launched she would turn wrong side up, but she did not The Philadelphia of our navy was to heavy and narrowly, escaped turning over. Her top hamper was reduced. with the effect of adding to her sta-bility, but without curing entirely a fundamental mistake in the calcula- ments. tions of the constructor, and the has gone into permanent retirement. But none of our ships built since her time has been accused of being top heavy A German paper is now publishing a series of articles attacking the value warship indestructible. The Japanese war vessels might have been dewill be lestroyed .- Philadelphia Rec-

A Surprise For the Kaiser.

The German emperor is, as every life and has determined to put down the tendency to luxurious living se prevalent in the aristocratic circles of

A great court lady happened to be the object of a sharp lecture on extravagance from the kaiser, and she resolved to retaliate. She appeared at a recent court ball with her husband. whose linen was shamefully "got up." so badly as to attract the emperor disapproving gaze. "My friend," said the kaises. "I cannot congratulate you on your haundress." The seemingly well mersed rebuke did not disconcert the delinquent's wife. "Sire," replied the aristicratic dame, "since hearing your mansty's remarks I have taken to washing my husband's shirts my

self." Gossip loes not relate what the im perial advocate of economy thought or said, but the story is true and is now going the rounds at Berlin, to the -London Tribune.

Vertical Travel In Manhattan.

An offical in the New York building department has figured out that the vertical faction travel in Manhattan is now larger than the horizontal railway traffic. In other words, the 6,600 elevators in this borough carry more passengers than do all the surface. elevated and subway roads combined The number of people using the elevators in some of the big office buildings is almost incredible. In the Park Row building, according to actual count, as many persons were taken up and down in one day as would be carried on an average by the entire street car system of Nashville, Tenn. The longest vertical trip will be furnished by one of the elevators in the Metropolitan building's new tower, where there will be a straight lift of one-ninth of a mile. New York Sun.

Visiting the Sons' Sins

The Titiski Listok (Tiflis Leaflet) publishes a very remarkable order published by the commandant of the place in connection with the military school. The terms are as follows: "In case of any act of disobedience on the part of a pupil toward one of his masters. whatever may have been the conduct of the later, the governor will expel from the limitations of the place not only the mipil, but also his parents. for parents possessing a son who dares to disobey his masters constitutes a pernicious element."-Cor. Russe.

Hungey Berlin Youngsters.

There are no fewer than 14,000 young Berliners who get no other food at home than bread and coffee. This is lamentable. We have our own miseries ever present in the great English towns, and we can sympathize with Berling But it all points to something radically wrong in the social organization of the great centers of pop-ulation when all the world over these and similar harrowing details continue to come to light.-London Practical Teacher.

WOMAN AND FASHION

A Simple Evening Frock.

Pale blue silk mousseline with em proidered dots was used in making this lainty gown. The plain material, tucked, forms the triangular inset at the foot, and bands of soft silk with embroidered empire wreaths finish skirt



and corsage. The waist is cut quite high in back, making the dress suitable for a very young girl, and in front a vest effect is obtained with the tuck ed mousseline. The popular little bowknots and tassels are the only orna-

Odd Veils. Certainly there are some odd but very pretty vells this season. One noticeable feature of the winter veils is the velvet dot. Dotted veils have not of German warships and denouncing been seen for years, yet the new ones the minister of marine. Probably no are noticeable for the scarcity of dots on one single veil and the immense size of the coin effect. One veil may stroyed by Rojestvensky's guns if the have a single dot, two, three or five Russians had hit them. In the lan- and no difference how marked; the guage of the wild west, the Japanese dots are conspicuous, though placed fleet "got the drop" on the Russian where, as one dealer says, they will do vessels. When two fleets meet the the least damage. They are like beau one whose guns are the poorest served ty patches, only much larger. One must know how to adjust a veil of this kind or the dot may appear on the mouth, one eve, itip of the nose or point of the chile, and it gives a quaint appearance to the wearer. Other veils one knows, an advocate of the simple are extremely thin, rather plain of weave and daintily trimmed on the edges with borders of satin applied of woven in the texture.

Brass Buttons on Coats. Brass buttons, both in the small sizes and in the large flat styles, are much used, and there come gold ornaments and clasps for the securing of the little light spring coats which will soon make their appearance in the

An Inexpensive Blouse.

Blouses or odd waists are as much in favor as ever and never were more varied in their combinations and color schemes. A smart blouse is here shown which may be developed in electric blue taffeta, with trimmings of striped taffeta, braid and buttons, for \$6. The same design would be very good in French flannel with plaid silk trimmings. Six tiny tucks on either shoulder hold the fullness at the front. secret amusement of those who hear it. The back of the blouse is plain. A nicely fitted turned down collar of



DEVELOPED IN PLAIN AND FANCY TAFFETA dark blue and white taffeta finishes the neck, this in turn edged with braid in Post Office, Lexington, Mass. which there is a touch of gold. The blouse opens at the front, where it hooks blindly, a set of tiny gilt but incoming mails. tons simulating a fastening. These buttons may be bought for 25 cents a card. A touch of smartness on the blouse is the trny stitched band on either side fastening the tucks. The estimated cost is:

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4.30 p. m.

WASHINGTON LETTER

[Special Correspondence.]

Congress is being once more urged to pay the claim of John L. Smithmeyer and Paul J. Pelz, the architects, who, as they allege and as the court of claims has found, were never properly paid for preparing the plans of the library of congress.

For years these architects have been hammering at the doors of congress endeavoring to get that body to allow what they deem just payment for services in designing what proved to be the finest public building in Washington and, as many believe, in the United States. Congress, however, turns a deaf ear to them, though the court of claims June 8, 1905, decided there was a balance due the claimants of \$108,-564; a previous judgment having giv-x en them \$48,000.

The Library Architects.

John L. Smithmeyer was the real architect of the library of congress It was thirty years ago that a joint select committee was named by congress, to undertake to provide enlarged accommodations for the library of congress, and from this came competitions that resulted in 1886 in congress selecting the Smithmeyer plans.

When he and his partner put up to congress their bill for what had been done, this bill being made out in accordance with the schedule of the American Institute of Architects, it was not paid. Smithmeyer was employed for about two years as architect of construction on the library building and Pelz as assistant, the former at \$5,000 a year and the latter at \$3,000. In 1888 they were let out of this service and in 1890 went before the court of claims.

It required sixtéen years to get a decision of the court of claims such as the claimants thought anywhere just and this decision is the basis of the allowance they are asking from this ses sion of congress.

Senator Stone's Check.

Senator Stone of Missouri has recently been the victim of the photographie nuisance in Washington, but he recettainly has managed to "get even." The capital swarms with photographers, who use every known wife to get public men and prominent visitors to drop around to their studios and have their pictures "took." Senator Stone "fell" for this game inno cently a short time ago. He had his picture taken and was much pleased with it until he received one day a bill for \$10.

The senator hated to pay that money; but finally he got out his check book and drew a check as follows "Pay to the order of Jones Jackson. fotografter \$10." And the picture man had, to indorse the check that way, too, to get the money, which he

Mr. Mann's Forgetfulness. Members of the senate and house from the same states frequently work in close harmony. When a senator in troduces a bill of interest to the commonwealth, the representative from that state will put the same bill into the house hopper. Often the senator will send a copy of his bill over to the other end of the capitol, and the con-

marks and put it in as his own. But there is some danger in this practice. The other day Senator Hopkins in troduced a bill. He sent a copy to Representative Mann of Illinois. Mr. Mann hastily scratched out the senator's name and inserted his own, but unfortunately forgot to obliterate the other details; hence the bill went in headed, "In the senate of the United States, a bill by Mr. Mann of Illinois."

gressman will scratch out the telltale

The error was caught in the file room by a clerk.

Surfeit of Pie and Milk. Senator Crane's favorite luncheon is pie and milk? according to the senate restaurant waiters, and the amount he sometimes eats is a puzzle to them. A man in search of the senator said to

one of the waiters: "Seen Senator Crane today?" "Yes, sah; de senator just gone out. I got him a piece of pie and a glass of milk, sah," replied the waiter.

"What's dat?" inquired another wait-

er just passing "Senator Crane was in healt an hour ago. Jus' got a piece of pie and glass of milk, as usual, sah." While this waiter was speaking a third approached. "Who you all talking about?" he asked. "Senator Crane is in dar now. Its got his ordar for a piece of pie and a glass of milk right heah?"

To settle the argument the doors of the senator's room in the restaurant were swung open, and there sat Senator Crane talking with friends.

The fact was that Senator Crane had been entertaining guests from Massachusetts and inviting them to lunch with him and had been obliged to eat ple three times and drink nearly a quart of milk.

Secretary Wilson's Cigars. Secretary of Agriculture Wilson is like unto the patriotic ladies of colohial days. He taboos certain goods of

foreign make for the home article, especially cigars. He knows a good weed even before the match is applied to it, and he keenly enjoys tilting back in his chair and looking out over the forested mall as the aromatic tmoke curls to the ceiling. His soil experts some years ago dis-

covered that there was dirt in South Carolina which analyzed in the chemral laboratory identically with the dirt from the famous vuelta region of Cuba. The secretary was thoroughly familiar with the good qualities of vuelta tobacco, and he brought it about that some Cuban tobacco plants were raised on the South Carolina soil. The tobacco has been made into cigars, and the secretary keeps a box in the re-

cesses of his big desk. CARL SCHOFIELD.

WALKING BANKS.

All Mexicans Carry Large Sums of Money on Their Persons.

A bank to t'e Mexican is not to be thought of for the handling of small emounts. Almost any Mexican in professional or business life carries on his person anywhere between \$200 and \$800. Even the poor Indian in his more than many foreigners.

The ordinary foreigner in Mexico, whether tourist or business man located here, carries perhaps \$50 to \$100 with him and no more. If a tourist, the foreigner will deposit any money over that amount he happens to have with him in the safe of the hotel at which he is registered; if a business man, he will carry no more than that amount on his person and will give a check for anything over that amount. The Spaniard resident in Mexico is inclined to carry much larger sums than any other foreigner here, and he will often carry sums of money aggregating nearly \$1.000.

The ordinary Mexican professiona! man will be found to carry sums of money on his person that would surprise the ordinary traveler and even cause him worry were he forced to arry it with him, yet the Mexican never even thinks of it

It was but a few days ago that an nstance of this kind was brought to ttention. One Mexican of the middle lass asked another in a casual way If he could change a thousand dollar bill. The other pulled out a wallet from his inside pocket and counted out; nearly \$2,000. Time after time this has happened, and it seems no uncommon thing for a Mexican of the middle class to carry between one and two thousand pesos on his person.

One Mexican, who was being reproved for this apparent carelessness nd imprudence, replied:

"We do not have any of your American holdups and highwaymen in Mexico. I have known my friends to have their pockets picked for large amounts through their own carelessness as to where they carried their money, but I have never heard of any one being hit over the head with a blackjack and his pockets rifled of their contents. That we have no fear in carrying these amounts."

The check idea seems to have taken but small hold as yet upon the citizens of Mexico, especially when small amounts of less than \$1,000 are concerned. They consider it much easier. to pay spot cash than to give a check claim, with some amount of reason. with better advantage to themselves when the cash is in sight.

supposed to be in their possession. They carry their money in leather belts fastened around their bodles inside their trousers. These belts are hollow and are open at one end. Into the open end the Indian slips his pesos or bills until he has the whole full. The belt then is either taken off and hidden away or the bills are changed for larger denominations and still carried around the body. But the Indian is a stickler for "pesos duros" and prefers cept gold. - Mexican Herald.

Too Much at Stake.

The question for discussion before the debating society that had met in the little schoolhouse belonging to district No. 13 was this; "Resolved, That the works published under the name of William Shakespeare were really written by Lord Bacon."

The debate was herce and prolonged. but, as frequently happens in such cases, the disputants on one side had informed themselves thoroughly, while the others, relying upon their having the popular side of the controversy, depended solely on their oratory; hence the Baconians, having learned all that could be said in favor of their contention, made really a very plausible case and had decidedly much the better of the argument. At the close of the discussion the three judges who had been selected held a brief consultation and decided in favor of the negative.

"Why did you decide against us?" subsequently asked one of the disputants. "You know we presented good arguments, while the other fellows didn't show any."

"That's all right," answered the judge to whom this question was addressed, "but two of us had just bought expensive copies of 'The Works of William Shakespeare that cost as \$15 Do you suppose we were going to acknowledge that Shakespeare didn't write 'em?"-Youth's Companion.

An Ode to His Washerwoman. Even in the face of financial embarrassment the Yale student refuses to be downcast, for when the florist threatens suit if his bill is not paid or when in walking through the city streets the student sees his newest shirt adorning the grinning face of his washerwoman's young unhopeful It is not his nature to spill a bottle of ink on a dissertation on the subconscious relationship of poverty to vice. More likely he will go whisthing back to the campus and put to the tune some such verses as appeared in the

title "Owed to My Washerwoman," I promise thee that some day I will come In answer to thy oft repeated dun. And in thy eager hands I then will lay The lollars ten I've owed for many a day. I will not censure thee for rips and tears, For e'en the socks that now thy husband

Yale Record of years ago under the

wears. Yes, some day in the dim futurity

And so he will set the whole campus speed signifies nautical miles per hour. laughing, if not to paying their bills .- A cruiser that makes 21 knots travels E R Embree in Bohemian.

AN ALLIGATOR'S TAIL.

The Muscles of This Wonderful Organ Are Like Springs of Steel.

In whales the tail is set transversely instead of vertically. The reason for this is concealed in lyng ages of evolution. Fishes have a ways been as they are now, aquatic, but the ancestors of whales and dolphins lived on dry land, blanket can more than likely produce where they crawled about on four good feet. When for some reason these creatures of old took to the water they probably did not plunge at once into the open ocean, where their descendants now live, but waded and paddled along in the shallows and marshes of the shore. Here a vertical tail would certainly be in the way, while a horizontal one might be used advantageously. We must not forget also that whales breathe air as we do and that it is more necessary for them to shoot quickly up from the dark ocean depths to the surface than to turn, fishlike, from side to side.

The sting ray and certain other fishes have a sharp, poisonous spine in the tail with which they can inflict a severe wound, but in the case of the alligator it is by sheer brute force that the tail is useful for defense. The muscles of this organ are like springs of steel. The great saurian lies asleep in the sun, seeming more dead than alive, but if a half dozen men should seize its tail with all their strength. with one terrible flick the alligator could scatter them, breaking legs and arms as if they were straws and hur! ing the men far to each side.

In Mexico I once grasped a three foot iguana by the tail, and I had my strength tested to the utmost to hold on for a single minute. Then, without warning, the great lizard went one way and I the other. His tail had parted company in the middle, and I had nine inches of it left in my hand. Instead of being fatal to these iguanas. such an occurrence is not infrequent and is of the utmost value to them in saving their lives

dive for their holes, but when an eagle is making the attack the swiftness of its flight sometimes intercepts the lizard, and the bird of prey seizes the long tail which is the last visible part thing is unknown in Mexico, and so of the iguana. After a brief struggle the eagle flies away with the scaly. bony tail tip, which must afford but slight gustatory satisfaction, while the iguana seeks the deepest part of its burrow. The short muscles soon close the wound, and in a surprisingly short time a new tail shoots forth and grows to a goodly length, ready if need be for amounts of \$50 and \$100, and they to be sacrificed in turn. Sometimes two tails grow out from the old tail that a business deal can be put through stump-surely a superfluity of bless ings. A weak spot in each tail bone is the cause of the breaking. Thus we Even the Indians in the street carry see that the tail of the iguana is inamounts of cash that would never be deed an interesting one.-C. William Beebe in Outing Magazine

This Time the Lawyer Scored.

A lawyer appeared before one of the New York city boards asking that damages be awarded to certain clients because of a change of grade in their street. When he had completed his argument the president said: "Mr. Blank, you ought to know better than to take up the time of this board in this man them to any other class of money ex. ner. You are too good a lawyer not to allow that on your own presentation of facts these people have not the shadow of a legal claim against the city." Your remarks are fully justi fied, Mr. President," said Mr. Blank. "I not only expected them, but you have done me a favor by making them. There are times when a lawyer is so pushed by his clients who seem to know more about the law than he does that the only thing he can do is to let them come up against it themselves. They probably know as much about it now as I did before. I thank you for your attention." With that he took up his books and left the room, followed by a half dozen crestfallen

The Honest Chinaman.

You soon learn in China that you can trust a Chinaman to carry through anything he agrees to do for you. When I reached T'ai Yuanfu I handed my interpreter a Chinese draft for \$200 (Mexican), payable to bearer, and told him to go to the bank and bring back the money. I had known John a little over a week, yet any one who knows China will understand that I was running no appreciable risk. The individual Chinaman is simply a part of a family, the family is part of a neighborhood, the neighborhood is part of a village or district, and so on. If John had disappeared with my/money after cashing the draft and had afterward been caught, punishment would have been swift and severe. Very likely he would have lost his head. If the authorities had been unable to find John, they would have punished his family. Punishment would surely have fallen on somebody. - Samuel Merwin in Sug cess Magazine.

What a Knot Is. Probably there is no nautical term more frequently used than the word "knot." The word is synonymous with the nautical mile, or 6,080.27 feet, while, as every one knows, the geographical mile is 5,280 feet. This would make the knot equal to 1.15 of geopraphical miles, and therefore, in order to compare the speed of a boat expressed in knots with a railroad train, it is necessary to multiply the speed in knots by 1.15. Another point to be remembered is that speed means a distance traveled in unit time. so when one speaks of a boat having a speed of 20 knots it is not necessary or proper to add per hour, as the word itself when employed as a unit of 24.15 geographical miles per hour.

Can't Afford It?

Let's figure it out and see.

How much would you charge to go to the grocer's or the provision dealer's?

How much would you give, on a stormy day, to be able to visit a distant friend?

How much would it be worth, in case your child were taken suddenly ill at night, to be able to summons the doctor at once, and, perhaps, by special instructions from him by wire, to be able to give temporary relief pending his arrival or even to save its life?

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A GREAT STATESMAN.

Humorous Incident of Gladstone's Rivalry With Disraeli.

An anecdote of Gladstone at the time of his greatest rivalry with Disraeli is often retold. At a dinner party the subject of Judaism cropped up.

"Admitted," said Gladstone, "that the Hebrews have given the world a philosopher in Spinoza, musicians in Mendelssohn and Meyerbeer, a poet in Heine, the fact remains that they have not produced a single statesman." There was silence for a moment. Every one knew of course that this was a direct allusion to Distaesi. Then one of the company stepped into the

"Mr. Gladstone," he said, yas a matter of fact the Hebrews have produced a statesman and one of the greatest the world has seen."

The fighting instinct of Mr. Gladstone surged up at once. May I ask.

Hebrew statesman?" Every one, anticipating a more than lively scene, waited in tense expectaquietest tones, "Moses sir." Every

one smiled, and Mr. Gladstone joined in the laugh. Vienna Welt.

A Jewel Beyond Price.

Many years rago a Norwegian was taken to a big London hospital suffering from an illness which prevented him from earning his living. Sir Frederick Treves operated upon him and completely cured him of his trouble. Some weeks afterward the man called upon Sir Frederick at his private house, and, much to his surprise, presented him with a coin. At first Sir Frederick refused to take it, but the man would not be put off.

native land." he said, "and before I An "overhead sewer" would be a novcame away my wife gave me this coin elty in towns built on a level surface, and told me never to part with it-un. but to the engineers who labor among less I was starving. It is not worth the hills and in the valleys of Greater anything, but the value to me I cannot New York it has become a part of the express. When I was in the hospital I day's work. There are cases where made up my mind that you should the main sewer has to go fully sixty have it. Since you cured me I have feet below the surface, which renders been starving, but I would not part house connections impracticable. In with the coin because I wanted you to these cases smaller sewers are built have it as a small return for saving my above the others, going only to the

"What magnificent piece of jewelry." said Sir Frederick when he told the low. story, "could equal the value of that Captain Pritchard of the Mauretania coin?"-London M. A. P.

Riot of Joy Proffered.

in the country. The kind hearted mis- and at the end of twelve years was tress made it a rule never to turn any captain and part owner of a brig in away empty handed.

she said. "I'm not giving it to you for every part of the globe and after twen charity's sake, but merely because it pleases me."

"Thankee," said the man, "but couldn't you make it a quarter and enjoy yourself thoroughly, mum?"-Phila- ception of the Umbria and the Lustdelphia Ledger.

FACTS IN FEW LINES

The first cannon was invented in

Egypt has practically been under British government since 1883.

Pius IX. during most of his pontificate ate only one egg and a bit of bread for breakfast. A new "cure" for seasickness is a

chair which is kept in a constant state of vibration by mechanism. Thomas A. Edison recently wrote this at a public dinner: "An American loves

his family. If he has any love left over for some other person, he generally selects Mark Twain." Persons who have lost their sense of taste are now recommended by a doctor to eat foods of various colors. Cer-

tain colors, he says, produce the same effect on the brain as do certain fla-The bishop of London on one occa Bion consented to open a bazaar at his

residence, Fulham palace. On arriving there the crush was so great he could not at first get into his own A customer at a Little Falls (N. Y.) restaurant objected to a clam that was

being opened for him. He was given another. In the rejected clam Bartender Eddie Hisman found a fifty dollar pearl. It is estimated that Chile has paid \$30,000,000 for foreign coal since 1900,

which is a heavy drain on a country of but 3,500,000 people. Yet Chile contains immense quantities of coal which is nearly as good as the best English The loss of the big steel schooner

Thomas W. Lawson leaves to a Bath (Me.) schooner the distinction of being the largest in the world. She is the six master Eleanor A. Percy, 323.5 feet long and of 3/401 tons gross measurement. The Lawson was about hif ty-two feet longer and about 1,800 tons larger.

In the Italian army all cavalry regi ments are supplied with carrier pl geons, which are used for the transmission of information during all their military maneuvers in camp. Young cavalry officers go through a course of instruction on the training of pigeous for military purposes at the Pigneral college.

A strange military body is a troop of cavalry at St. de Moorway, a prov ince on the east coast of Africa, which is under the rule of the French gov. ernor general at Madagascar. These soldiers go about their military operations on oxen. The animals are lean creatures, and they move with surprising rapidity.

The Paris Museum of Decorative Arts has just received as a present from an official of the chamber of dep uties the throne which was made for Napoleon's use at the opening of the chambers and which was afterward changed a little in the time of the res toration and subsequently served for Louis XVIII. and Charles X, on simi lar occasions.

While Professor David Todd, the as tronomer, was on the top of the Andes nearly three miles above the level of the sea, he worked for a time in a great iron rank about six feet square into which he had air forced until the atmosphere within was about the same as that at the level of the sea. The compartment was lighted by electricity and was connected with the outer world by telephone.

The bronze statue of Schiller by Her mann Matzen, which is to be erected in Cleveland is German citizens, has been completed in Beitin. The poet is seated in an armeliair. A Berlin paper is quoted as remarking apropos that the German who goes to America be comes an American in all that the word implies, but even unto the third generation he is loyal to German poet ry and German song."

Albert Ware Paine, who died at Bansir," he said pointedly, 'who was this gor, Me., at the age of ninety-five, was most widely known as the author of the law giving to the accused in criminal cases the right to testify in his tion for the answer. It came in the own behalf. This law he drafted half a century ago and after many rebuffs succeeded in having it enacted by the Maine legislature in 1864. It was the first law of the kind anywhere, and soon the whole civilized world follow ed Maine's example in adopting it.

In Seattle's fight against the spread of the plague by rats an interesting experiment was tried recently. A rodent was dyed blue and turned loose to find out just how long it could retain its liberty and how far it could travel without falling into one of the myriad of public and private traps set for the plague distributers. The particular rat selected for the test was caught a week after being turned out a mile "It is now three years since I left my from the point where it was liberated.

usual depth. At intervals these are connected with the main arteries be

first became a cook on a small Carnarvon sailing vessel in his fourteenth year. After two and a half years he A tramp applied for help at a house entered the maritime service proper the slate trade. He subsequently "Here's a dime for you, my man." made voyages in sailing vessels to ty-one years of sea life entered the Cunard service in 1879. In the intervening twenty-eight years he has commanded every Cunarder, with the ex-

tania.

for us when young, as are the troubles of Brooklyn. N. Y., and is better known of maturity for adults. What distinguishes youth is open mindedness, courage and strength, whereby it is enabled to overcome its difficulties. We begin to were all glad to become better acquainted a whole had reason to be proud of and sentation is an indication of how Arthur lose youthfulness and to grow old when with him on this occasion. we lose openness of mind and heart. This for noble ends." The preacher gave

=A. B. C. team put up a strong game with the Centrals, Thursday evening, winning all four points with a total of

=The cold snap on Thursday was the cause of no little damage in the store of Dow & Giles in Post Office Block. A frozen water pipe burst and the water came down through the ceiling into the store, thereby causing no little discomfort, as well as damage to the ceiling and some of the stock in the store.

=On Tuesday Mr. Wm. Whytal passed his 85th birthday at his home on Avon place, but we regret to say he has not been as well as usual. An article of considerable length in the Globe, on his birthday, had quite an extended sketch of Mr. Whytal, who was one of the the evening of Nov. 24th, and it shared cellent general idea of the subject of the "49-ers" in the gold fields of California.

=The Woman's Auxiliary, connected with St. John's Episcopal church, had a most enjoyable as well as instructive meeting on Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Kate B. Elwell. when Mrs. Charles H. Watson spoke to the ladies on observations made during her travels in Mexico and on the continent, both along missionary as well as social lines. The talk was listened to by some twenty ladies, all of whom felt they had been especially privileged in being able to be present. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the talk by the host-

=The following is the report of an interesting event, which took place on the evening of Jan. 23d, and was printed in it relates to one of our most prominent to nothing, the whole interest of the percitizens, our readers will be glad to read the following summary :--

of Hon. W. W. Rawson, formerly of the tary and as he is quite the opposite in Governor's Coupeil, a banquet took place temperament (being in fact quite a gay at the Quincy House, last evening, given boy) to the genuine "private secretary by members of the committee on the big the situations are often embarassing to anniversary dinner in his honor, a year him and most amusing for the audience. ago, at the Vendome. George L. Gould, On the other hand, the meek subdued of Malden, was the toastmaster, and his little private secretary, who is too prope remarks on Mr. Rawson's sixty first anni- for anything, is taken by the erascib versary were unusually interesting. In rich old uncle Cattermole as his nepher formal addresses were made by Guy A. and, as he detests milksops, as he terms Ham, Ira W. Holt, Frank P. Dyer, Ed. it. the opportunity for misunderstandings ward S. Fessenden, Arthur T. Cummings, and misrepresentations is at once as John A. Campbell, Thomas L. Creeley, parent. The following was the cast of John F. Briry, George I. Doe, William characters :-Pattee, Edward F. Deering, J. E. Colman, John Lyons, Fred S. Mead and H. W Rawson. Mr. Rawson spoke at some length and told of the pleasure it gave him to meet his old friends around the banquet board."

The Thirteenth Annual.

Arlington Woman's Club held its thirteenth "Gentlemen's Night" on Thursday evening, Jan. 30, For the third consecutive year the Pleasant Street Cong. church was "loaned" for the occasion, Town Hall not being adapted for an oceasion of this nature. The arrangements for the evening were in charge of the Literature, Music and Social Departments of the club, Mrs. Wm. T. Foster, Jr., being chairman of the first mentioned, Miss C. A. Brackett had the music in charge, while Mrs. Gardner S. Cushman superintended the many details of the general arrangements, which went so far in making the evening a success. The program was arranged to be entertaining in its nature, so as to give the gentlemen a good time. It was termed a humorous author's recital, with music, and the program was as follows :-

Overture, "Summernight's Dream," Von Suppe String Quintette, 'Eutr' Acte Gavotte,'

Bostonia Orchestra. A bath in an English Tub,

"There's Only One Noo York," from "Cheerful Americans"

"Cunnin Larrikins."

A Little Batch of Verses,—very beautiful.

Little Miss Butterfly,

from "Cheerful Americans" Charles Battell Loomis. Gems from the Opera,

Bostonia Orchestra. The Mother of Little Maude and Little Maude, from Minerva's Manoeuvres

Mrs. Harrigan's Phonograph. Some New Thoughts on Ananias, by Bruddeh

Rastus. Lady Clare, -a new reading of old lines, Charles Battell Loomis.

Excerpts from the 'Red Mill' (by request)
Herbert

Bostonia Orchestra.

No occasion brings out so representative an audience of the town's people as air, with its bright lights and genial Mary Hardy reflected a full mede of she presided, her ease and natural unaf- part of that of a country gentleman.

ARLINGTON LOCAL ITEMS.

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often spoken of as free from care, know
often spoken of as free ing only sunshine and joy. In fact, youth has its trials and griefs, its temptations and depressions, which are just as hard

may be kept through life. One way to readings, Mr. Loomis was enthusiastically keep young in heart is to put the strength applauded and responded with another and courage of early life to good uses. amusing sketch, then there were selecserved sandwiches, assorted ices and cake given under the auspices of the Old Belhad become prematurely old at heart and of old men who had kept the freshness and the forward look of youth.

The main vestry. The social neur indicates in the main vestry indicates in the main vestry. The social neur indicates in the main vestry indicates in the main vestry. The social neur indicates in the main vestry indicates in the had in any way contributed to its success. The ushers were Mrs. E. L. Harris, Mrs. Fred F. Low, Mrs. Walter Mooers, Mrs. Frank V. Noyes, Mrs Geo. Howland, Mrs. Robt. H. Begien, Mrs. Gorham H

Lexington Dramatic Club.

The fourth regular presentation of the club in Town Hall, Lexington, was given on Friday evening, Jan. 24th. It was the second performance of the season, with that one in popularity as well as the other features of the success of that notable performance. The full seating capacity of the hall was occupied and the dience were prompt to recognize and applaud the merits of the performers, showing no little discrimination as well as ing no little discrimination as well as pleasure in according their applause. The comedy given was "The Private Secretary waters are resed in the districts." tary," by Charles Hawtrey, in three acts, and was presented under the direction of Roosevelt for taking up and pushing fora committée of the club made up of Mr. Mrs. Henry H. Putnam.

the unusual role of that of the "private secretary." It was a part with which be was peculiarly identified, the character essayed and his methods being quite the Transcript of the following date. As unusual. The plot practically amounts formance centering in a sort of hide-and seek, when each of the characters is tra ing to elude the other. Young Catter-"In honor of the birthday anniversary mole masquerades as the private secu-

> Harry Marshland. Mr. Muzzev Mr. Turner Mr. Cattermole, Douglas Cattermole, Mr. Riley Mr. Smith Rev. Robt. Spaulding, Mr. Gibson. John, Mr. Tyler Knox. Mr. Tufts Gardener, f Edith Marshland, Mrs. Tufts Eva Webster, Miss Busiel Mrs. Stickel Mrs. Stead, Miss Ashford. Mrs. Putnam

There are two scenes in the three acts The first is that of young Cattermole London chambers where his uncle is put on the track of the wrong man. Mrs. W Stickel had a leading role in this ac as the typical London landlady, and gave a spirited and realistic piece of acting She dressed the character to perfection and her scene with the blustering, dicta torial Mr. Cattermole, made it one of the best in the play. Mr. Turner was most successfully cast in the play, but this might well be said of all the characters for a great deal of discernment was shown in this direction. However, Mr. Turnel could not have been improved on, and was the centre of a good deal of the fur in the play. His blustering, domineering manner was quite what it should be and his make-up was "great" in more senses

of the word than one. in the second act was shown the draw-ing room of a country gentleman where sity of Tokio, Japan. As an author and In the second act was shown the drawwas enacted a charming seene by Mrs Putnam as the gentle, motherly woman as well as guileless spiritualist. There was also a spirited flirtation scene, including Marsland and Douglas Cattermole (in which the latter masquerades as the most of the situations they made A. W. Stone, C. R. Norris, C. Hatch. E. ham played with ease and naturalness, paid and a balance in the treasury. her well known accomplishment in ... Lexington seems to be the home of warmth, for it was a severely cold night, what little they had to do worked out the him champion. and made the warmth welcome. Paims story and added its full import to the story and responsible to the story and added its full import to the story and added its ful

she presided, her ease and natural dual-fectedness being noticeable qualities. Prifectedness being noticeable qualities. Prior to introducing the program she briefly
described the various branches of work
women's clubs are engaged in which have
far reaching influences for useful helpful
she part of that of a country gentleman.

We have elected to speak of Mr. James
Church. It opened with a short talk by
church. It opened with a short tal Spaulding. Mr. Smith has always done est. A quartet composed of Mrs. H. S. The program was essentially entertain-first class work in amateur theatricals, O. Nichols, Mrs. Rose Morse, Messrs. ing in its character. The orchestra but this far excelled anything heretofore Ernest Nichols and L. T. Redman, sang Boston, which has never played here beplayed those tuneful melodies which are done by him. He was a second Gillette selections; Mr.E. P. Merriam gave the fore. They confined their efforts to pleasing to a general audience and played and his methods were almost identical solo. "The day is done," and Mr. C. E. dance music and did not attempt to play them with no little skill and taste under the famous actor. It was Walker sang, "It was fifty years ago." popular airs from the light operas, whether the baton of Miss Belle Yeaton Renfrew, as finished a piece of work as is often Miss Kinsman gave contralto numbers, or they were written for dancing or not, the conductor. Most of the selections seen. His English drawl, and every little Mr. L. T. Redman the bass solo, "I shot as many orchestras do. The party was were from the operas and gave delight to the entire audience, in fact so much so that they were several times encored.

Mr. Loomis was also received with more than a preciation and skill. His proved the provided t

one for which the management and the After closing the second half of his cast are to be sincerely congratulated.

The Panana Canal.

The vigor and hopefulness of youth are a real word of God and ought to be used as such, always with reverence, and only tries of the church, where a caterer many illustrations of young people who in the main vestry. The social hour fry Club in their hall, on Monday even one had a great time, with all the red festhe quiet let us whisper, inspected each other's new clothes and passed judgment remarks that the building of a Panama inaudably, while they voiced to each canal was no new project, for three hun-other the pleasure the entire evening had afforded them, and complimented all who early discoverers of America. Capt. Fuller has been a resident on the isthmus for a long period and was, we believe, connected with the counsellor service. He is thoroughly conversant with his subject and shows a personal knowledge. in describing the climate, the people and characteristics of the country about the isthmus. Further than this, he had the history of the attempts to construct the canal at his linger's end.

Capt. Fuller is one of those lecturers

who speak fluently, yet always to the point, and has the power of giving information in ad attractive way, yet in such the evening of Nov. 24th, and it shared cellent general idea of the subject obtained. Many of his views were colored and showed beautiful tropical scenery, while his maps and diagrams showed the construction of the canal, including the tidewater changels at Colon and at the city of Panama, the one being on the Carribean sea and the other city on the bay of the

Capt. Fuller paid a tribute to President ward this vast undertaking which when Wm. M. Hatch, Mr. E. F. Breed, and it is completed will prove a great commercial and mercantile asset of the nation, This is the play in which Wm. Gillette besides bringing two continents in closer won fame and his renown as an actor, in touch with reach other. The speaker described what has been so successfully done already to reclaim a pestilential re-gion and make it habitable and even healthful, while in time it promises to be one of the popular winter resorts. Capt. Fuller had notend of interesting things to tional importance.

yalued stock. Pictures showed in a graphic way the great waste of machinery and materials in the attempt of the French to build the Panama canal which were an

LEXINGTON LOCAL NEWS.

Larkin's storein Post-office block

.... This Saturday evening in the hall of theOld Belfr Club, there will be an informal dance Mrs. M. C. Merfill will furnish the music.

.... The Woman's Alliance will meet in the parlor of the Unitarian church, on Thursday afternoon of next week, Feb. 6th, at half-pat two.

.... In the East Lexington locals will be found a report of a jollification held by the Fire Dept., in that section of the town, which Miss Brigham reports. Mr. Herbert T. Jenness, of Engine Co., No. 1, was a member of the committee in charge of the evening and also had a prominent place in the brogram, his talent as a musician and comedian being highly ap-

.... The Hancock church Men's Club at its next meeting on Thursday evening, February 6th, will be addressed by Dr Garrett Droppers, subject "Currency and Banking." Dr. Droppers is a graduate of Harvard Cellege, 1887, and has made special studies in economics and figure. For nine year he was professor of Politranslator he is noted authority on finan-

cial topies. ... The Baptist church has elected the following officers and committees for 1908 : Clerk, G.H. Fessenden ; treas, Herthe Rev. Robt. Spaulding), and the two bert Daniels; collector, G. H. Roberts; young ladies in the play. Mrs. Bowens auditor, H. W. Patterson; standing com-Tutts and Miss Busiel dressed their parts mittee, C. P. Ashley, H. W. Patterson, charmingly and were natural and grace- O. W. Allen, H. Daniels, C. A. Hutchinful. By their by-play and in making son; prudential Com., bastor, deacons, their lines decidedly effective. Mrs. Put- W. Whittier. All bills were reported

grasping and portraying humorous situa some of the filest Boston terriers and tions giving just the right touch to her beagles. Last week, at the great Lynn part. Messrs. Wm. Riley and Clifford dog show, where there were 782 dogs Muzzey, as London Club men, were entered, Mrs. Frank P. Kendall's beautispirited and realistic in their parts, the full Boston terrier, "Judy," winner at former having the more difficult and Brockton of 1st prize, won 2d in the limit prominent part, which he sustained most class and 2d in the open class. Mr. Geo. when the Woman's Club entertains, and it is indeed an assemblaze to be proud of, for its well being in every respect, aside from the fact that it is always a handsomely attired one. The church was M. Tyler, Mr. H. H. Putnam, Mr. Bowen winning 1st in the winners'. Mr. A. M. filled in every part and wore an inviting Tufts, were only on the stage a few mo- Tucker's English setter, "Mallwd Chanments at a time, but their costuming and don," won 1st in winners' class, making

general methods, no one gave a better gave a program in the church chapel, on-

···· The last meeting of Engine Co. No. 1 was made an occasion of more than usual interest. There was an oyster sup per and a presentation and withat a jolly good time. The company had as their guests at the toothsome supper, the board of engineers and officials of the town. sentation is an indication of how Arthur is regarded by his comrades in the company, who rank him as "a jolly good fellow." Herbert T. Jenness made the presentation speech, which he gave a happy turn, but he found Arthur ready for him and, although he was surprised and delighted by the gift, he was not made speechless by it, but voiced his appreciation in his hearty, cheery way. Every tal lights turned on.

Arlington Town Business.

The joint boards met in their office on Monday evening and transacted the following business :-

A permit was granted Arthur E. Bryer for blasting on the premises of the Cutter Bros.

The jury list was revised. Under the new law the list is not to be posted, neither is it to come before the town meeting for acceptance, It is to be published in the annual Town Reports, but no further action can be taken on it Copies have to be sent to the Superior and Supreme Courts, which concludes the duties of the Selectmen in this matter.

The caucus for the nomination of town officers will be held Monday, Feb. 17th, at 7.30 p.m.

The Selectmen meet Saturday evening, Feb. 15th, for the purpose of drawing a Town Warrant for the annual meeting of March 2nd. The State Inspector passed favorable judge-

ment on our public halls in his last report.

JOINT BOARD. Hearings were given on the proposed laying out of Sawin street and an extension of Wollaston avenue. As no objection was made to either propositions, the Board voted to lay out

A pole location was granted on Paul Revere Telephone 303-4. Arlingto road to the Edison Co.

A petition was received from Nellie M. Farmer and others to lay out Harvard street. This matter was taken under advisement.

It is the opinion of town counsel Hardy that the Selectmen have no authority to light pri-The annual Town Reports were read and

Arlington Historical Society.

The Society met Tuesday evening, in Wellington Hall. Nearly its entire seatdescribe and stell in regard to the canal ing capacity was filled with members and the other interests naturally associat- and friends when the president, Mr. G. ed with it. Such a project is of interna- Y. Wellington, called the meeting to order to listen to the report of the secre-He touched but lightly on the failure tary, Mr. F. E. Fowle. Several gifts of DeLessips to build the canal preferring were presented at this time. They intarv, Mr. F. E. Fowle, Several gifts in his allusions to the Suez canal to give cluded a silver, spoon, presented by the great Frenchman all honor as the descendent of the late Henry Swan; descendent of the late Henry Swan; a builder of that canal which now pays big piece of wood from the wreck of the Bridividends to the holders of this highly tish man-of-war "Somerset," given by yalued stocks Pictures showed in a Dr. Crozier; reports from the Bostonian Society; nearly a complete file of the Farmers' Almanac from 1853 to 1895, from Mr. Frank Dyer; several relics taken object lesson as to how millions of money and great physical labor can be wasted. avenue, presented by Mr. Walter Peirce. avenue, presented by Mr. Walter Peirce. At this time it was voted, to observe,

in some appropriate manner, the teath

Mr. Wellington introduced as the speaker of the evening, Miss Helen Wilde, of Medford, who read a paper on The Royall House, located in that city, and In opening Miss Wilde said that the paper was a supplement to one written by Mr. John H.

Mr. and Mrs. Muller and Miss Marion Churchill, Messrs. H. A. and Charles Phinney Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hardy, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robinson, Mr. Warren A. Peirce, Mr. and Mrs. Edw. L. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Medford, who read a paper on "The Hooper, in which he discribes the house and its contents, while her paper related P. to the men and women who had lived there and those who were financially interested. As the speaker unravelled the skein of interesting and important events that touched the lives of those who had Mrs. Frank V. Noyes, Mr. and Mrs. F. occupied this mansion house, from the time of Gov. Winthrop up to the last of the descendants of Isaac Royall, the fact was brought out of how closely was the W. Hilliard Mr. and Mrs. Harrie Whitney, was brought out of how closely was the history of Massachusetts alfied to it

Royall House Association, through its agent, Miss Wilde. Before the meeting adjourned Mr. Hutchinson gave a report of the meeting of the Bay State Historical League held in the fall at Salem.

Associates Dance.

The Twenty-one Associates of Arlington, gave a dance in their handsome hall in Associates Block, on Friday evening of last week. Throughout the day a snow storm, accompanied by a veritable blizzard, prevailed, so the managers had some apprehension as to the success of their undertaking, especially as the biting wind and keen air prevailed during the evening and had a tendency to draw one to the hearthstone of home, rather than out into the wintry blast. However, the friends of the Associates evidently wanted to dance, so they turned out seventyfive strong, which was just the number given in the order for the caterer to provide for. This was pretty close calculat-

Messrs. H. A. Phinney and Wm. A. Muller managed the party, assisted by Messrs. H. W. Reed, W. D. Elwell and I. P. Harding as ushers. The patrons of the evening were Messrs. W. A. Robinson, Warren A. Peirce and William A. Muller, who received at the head of the hall in full evening dress, in the most approved style, enhanced by buttonhole bouquets of violets and large bouquets of decorated the platform and choir, re-performance as a whole. In his dress, ... The Poetry Tlub of Hancock church, the same "sweet and modest flower." lieved by a row of sunny daffodils. Miss quiet dignity of manner, make-up and under the direction of Rev. Mr. Carter, They made three handsome and imposing dignitaries to represent the Associates. honor on the club by the manner in which impersonation than did Mr. C. C. Doe the Thursday evening, which very pleasantly and at intermission they were joined by introduced the musical talent of the Judge Hardy who, with his son, Repre-

The music was exceptionally good and was furnished by Mullaly's orchestra of than usual cordiality, his quite unique performance can hardly be praised too spersed with comments by talents as a wit and humorist delighting his hearers. Mr. Loomis has rather a from the fact that Mr. Smith never saw little merit. gold sequens; a stylish dress worn by a

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recent bride was a silk in a combination of pink and white stripes, with tiny polka dots of black in the white stripe, trimmed with medallions of lace and gold sequens; a lace and white striped just cloth (from the Philippines) made a beautiful dress; a pale blue accordion pleated peau-decygne silk, with a touch of choice lace, was exceptionally becoming to the wear er; a white tambour lace frock, worn Shattuck & Co. Sole Agents. with a flowered sash ribbon, was another pretty frock; a pink batiste embridered in white was decidedly dainty, while : black lace, with touches of gold, and a strips for doors and windows. brown lace princesse toilette were among the noticeably handsome dresses, as was soft grey figured satin.

At intermission caterer Hardy served a spread of all kinds of delicious ices in the banquet hall. The table was spread with You don't want to miss seeing the April 6th, a committee to have charge of on a side table. The social hour spent in fine assortment of valentines at Miss the same to be appointed later by the the supper room was very jolly and social. The dance closed at twelve and almost every one remained until its close. Those present were as follows :-

> A. Ryder, Miss Strickland and Mr. Eastwood P. Thompson Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Phillipps and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Begien, Mrs. E. P. Stickney, Miss Jean Cross and Miss Bradeen, Dr. Webb and Dr. Rushmore, Mr. and Mrs. Welfington A. Hardy and Mrs. John H. Sawyer, Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cutler, Mr. and Mrs and a hope that the effort now being made to preserve this piece of property would meet with success.
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> At the conclusion of the paper it was voted to contribute five dollars to the Geo. Howland, Dr. Sanger and Miss Newhall sell of Boston, Ames W Shepard, Esq., of Somerville, Mr. Harold Yeames and Miss Darrah, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Everett P. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney T. Hady, Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Wunderlich, Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Hayes.

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To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate

of SYLVIA J. REED, late of Lexington, in said County, deceased. Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased

has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Hammon Reed, who prays that letters testa-mentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

official bond.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probase Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eleventh day of February, A. D., 1808, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in

once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lexington MINUTE-MAN a newspaper published in Lexington, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by maling post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court. Witness, Charles J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty first day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eight.

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Register.

MORTGAGEES SALE OF REAL ESTATE. By virtue of a power of sale contained in a

certain mortgage deed given by Marion A. Mac-Bride to Charles H. Jennings, dated May 21, 1907, certain mortgage deed given by Marion A. Mac-Bride to Charles H. Jennings dated May 21, 1907, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex, So. Dist., libro 3301, folio 375, for breach of condition of said mortgage, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Saturday, the fifteenth day of February, 1908, at three o'clock, in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:—A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated at No. 76 Hillside Avenue, in the town of Arlington, County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetta, the same being Lot numbered 12. Block 6, Section B, shown on plan of Section B. of "Land of the Arlington Land Co." Whitman and Breck Eng. 1872, recorded with Middlesex So. District Deeds, Book of Plans 21, Plan 2, containing 10172 square feet, and bounded 140 feet on Lot numbered 13 on said plan and 140 feet on Lot numbered 13 on said plan and 140 feet on Lot numbered 13 on said plan and 140 feet on Lot numbered 13 on said plan and 140 feet on Lot numbered 13 on said plan and 140 feet on Lot numbered 15 on said plan and 140 feet on Lot numbered 15 on said plan and 140 feet on Lot numbered 15 on said plan and 140 feet on Lot numbered 15 on said plan and 160 feet on Lot numbered 17 and 8 on said plan; and bounded 75 feet on said Hillside Avenue, These premises will be sold subject to a mortgage upon which \$2050 of principal remains unpaid, also to any unpaid interest and taxes for 1907.

\$100 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

CHARLES H. JENNINGS, Mortgagee. JENNINGS, 15 Court Square, Boston 25 jan3w

January 23, 1908.